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WRECK OF TRAINS ON WABASH ROAD.

Dash into Each Other at Full Speed East of Seneca, Mich.—Victims Number Over a Hundred.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

DETROIT (Mich.) Nov. 27.—From one hundred to one hundred and fifty persons were killed or injured tonight in a wreck on the Wabash Railroad. Two heavily-loaded passenger trains collided, head on, at full speed, one mile east of Seneca, Mich., the second station west of Adrian.

The west-bound train, composed of two cars loaded with immigrants and five other coaches, was smashed and burned with awful loss of life and fearful injuries to a majority of its passengers. The east-bound passenger train, the Continental Limited, suffered in scarcely less degree. The track in the vicinity of the wreck is strewn with dead and dying. Many physicians from Detroit have gone to the scene.

The Continental Limited, the east-bound train, was driven by Engineer Strong and was in charge of Conductor J. Martin. The west-bound immigrant train was a double-header, and was driven by Engineer Work and Engineer Parks, the conductor being Charles Troll. The east-bound train, it is believed, disobeyed orders in not waiting at Seneca for the west-bound train, thereby causing the wreck. The track at the point where the collision occurred was straight, and at first the officials could not understand how the accident could have happened.

The west-bound train, which ordinarily is due to leave Detroit at 2:30 o'clock, was two hours late, leaving at 4:20 o'clock p.m. The two trains are scheduled to meet at Montpelier, Ohio, but as stated, had been ordered to meet at Seneca. The blame is therefore placed on the conductor or engineer of the east-bound train, as the accident would not have occurred, had this train been held at Seneca. Apparently orders to wait were disobeyed, and the probabilities are that the true story of why, will never be told, as the train crews undoubtedly met instant death. Advices from the wreck at midnight state that the country for miles around is lighted up by the burning cars, and that the [illegible] could not be quenched because of lack of proper apparatus.

Mangled bodies were picked up along the track by the farmers before the special train sent from Adrian arrived on the scene. In some instances the bodies were mangled beyond all recognition. The bodies which the rescuers managed to pull from the burning ruins of the immigrant cars were so badly burned that their identity will probably be never ascertained.

The west-bound train was a regular train, composed of seven coaches. Reports differ as to the number of coaches carrying immigrants. One says there were but two, and another says there were five or six coaches carrying this class of tourists.

It is not thought any Detroit people were injured, as train No. 3, immediately behind the immigrant train, carried the Detroit passengers for Chicago. The east-bound train was made up of an engine, baggage car, combination coach and sleeper.

The trains came together one mile east of Seneca, under a full head of steam. All but the two rear coaches of the west-bound train were demolished and the coach on the east-bound train was telescoped. Five of the cars of the immigrant train caught fire and are still burning. The loss of life is estimated at 100 on this train. The loss of life on the east-bound train is said to be twenty-five.

One of the engines of the immigrant train exploded and the east-bound engine turned over into a ditch. Two firemen and one engineer of the west-bound train were killed, but the fireman and engineer of the other train jumped and escaped.

Special trains were dispatched to the scene of the wreck from Adrian, Detroit, Peru and Montpelier. A special train from Detroit carrying thirty-two physicians and surgeons started for Seneca and was given the right of way.

At 10:45 o'clock the first train loaded with wounded from the scene of the wreck arrived in Adrian. The dead were left behind to be cared for in a later train. At Adrian the wounded were carried in ambulances, drays and delivery wagons to the hospitals until they were filled, and private residences in the neighborhood were placed in service.

Engineer Strong makes the following statement: "I was running about sixty-five miles an hour when I saw a light on the west-bound train. I shut down to fifty miles. We had seven coaches and baggage car. I jumped, as did my fireman. The first car was strong and was not smashed. The second collapsed, and not a soul escaped."

Willard Stearns, editor of the Adrian Press, who had just returned from the wreck at 2:30 o'clock a.m., telephoned particulars to the Associated Press. Stearns said the cause of the disaster was the misreading of his order by Engineer Sipong of the Continental Limited. The order read: "Pass at Seneca," but Strong understood it to read "Pass [illegible]." He understood [illegible] and supposed his train was going on a siding. Finding that the train was running rapidly, the conductor put on the airbrakes himself, but he was too late, and just then the engineer set the brakes to try to avert the force of the collision.

The engineer's leg was broken, and he was otherwise injured. Seven dead were taken out of one car of the Continental Limited. All those on that train who were killed were on that car, which was between the smoker and dining cars. The bulk of the injured persons were taken to Peru, Ind., and Montpelier, O., the tracks of the Detroit and Lima Northern and Cincinnati Northern being utilized in getting around the wreck. Stearns said that the scene of the wreck beggars description. The night is bitterly cold, and as there is but one farm house adjacent to the scene, there was but little shelter for the sufferers.

Matters are in a chaotic condition, and there are scarcely any facilities for identifying the dead. The railroad will not permit the use of its wires, the only ones available for carrying the news.

The dead so far identified are:

MISS DIDO DENTZED of Tuppervills, Ont. She was alive when rescuers reached her, and with her expiring breath said: "Notify William Moore."

JAMES BROWN, porter, Detroit.

JOB WITCHELL, shoe manufacturer, Detroit.

E. N. DENELL, Detroit.

GEORGE W. YEOMANS, capitalist, Kansas City.

A special to the Tribune from Adrian gives the following Detroit persons as among the injured:

GEORGE SWEENEY.

F. B. RICHARDSON, express messenger, head cut and both legs mangled.

MARY DOLMAN, injuries slight.

H. B. WHITNEY, an Ontario railroad dispatcher, seriously injured.

L. LLOYD, Kempton, N. D., head badly injured.

VICTOR COHEN, St. Paul, Minn., hit on head by water bottle.

FRANK R. BIEDELIN, Baltimore, left arm broken.

H. WALTER GREIS, Joplin, Mo., serious.

E. E. SMITH, Detroit, slight.

GEORGE PFEFFER, Detroit, not serious.

W. E. GILLEN, jumped from smoker window, cut seriously.

—— ELLARDEL, porter, slight.

S. M'LEMORE, porter, No. 13, slight.

MRS. M. L. CHRETION, Buffalo.

MRS. RICHARDS, residence unknown.

GEORGE S. ELLIOTT, South Sebea, Me., not serious.

VICTOR GREENBAUM, New York, slight.

WALTER GREIG, Joplin, Mo., badly hurt about the head.

F. A. PALMER, the conductor of the parlor car, got out all right.

MRS. M. E. STRINGER, Bellevue, Mich., spine injured, skull fractured may die.

FRANK BEIDELER, Baltimore, ribs broken.

SALLA SOOK, Burnside, Ill., slight.

LOUIS SHOEMAKER, Adrian, hip injured.

JESSIE WILLIAMS, Detroit, back and hip hurt.

GEORGE T. WHITE, New York, serious.

THOMAS CREHAN, Buffalo, leg injured.

D. BANEARD, Logansport, Ind., internally injured.

ANNA KASOV, Denver, injured about head.

KATHERINE PLUT, Denver, slight.

MRS. JOSEPH JACKSA, Globeville, Colo., slight.

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en route from New York west.

KANSAS CITY CONTRACTOR.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 27.—George W. Youmans of this city, killed in the Wabash wreck, was a well-known contractor and builder, who was returning home from a business trip in the East. The latest reports from Adrian are to the effect that there are eighty dead and 150 injured, of which twenty-five cases are serious. Fifty of the eighty dead were killed outright.

News Under to the Times This Morning

1. Alban's Forces Defeated. Terrible Wreck on Wabash.
2. Wu Makes Speech at White House. Trainmen Oppose Switchmen. Rumor of Miss Stone's Death.
3. Robbers at Sacramento. Jeffries to Meet Fitzsimmons.
4. Secretary Hitchcock's Report.
6. Weather Report. Liners: Classified Advertising.
8. Variety of Thanksgiving Sports.
9. Calvé to Adopt a Girl.
10. Editorial Page: Paragraphs.
11. Wilcox Murder Mystery Unsolved.
12. The Public Service: Official Doings.
13. Financial and Commercial.
14. Our Neighboring Counties.
15. Los Angeles County: Its Towns.
16. The City in Brief: Paragraphettes. Record of Marriages and Deaths.

CLASSIFIED NEWS SYNOPSIS.

THE CITY. Calvé offers to adopt Edna Darch, a little Los Angeles songbird, and make an artist of her. Those "blood spots" on clothes of a Downey tramp prove to be crude oil. No arrest yet made for Wilcox murder....Huntington railroad syndicate will spend $5,000,000 the first year in electric extensions....Discovery of remarkable prisoner in City Jail in person of J. Martina....Life endangered by bad road and unsafe bridge. Thanksgiving exercises in public schools....Brother against brother in Police Court....Blue Bells mine sold for $30,000....Senator Flint in town. Death of Dr. George R. Edwards. Barefoot burglar scores twice....Manuel J. Silva's restaurant fraud....Monarch nine-pin team rolls second high game....Woman tries to kill herself with hat pin....Deserter from United States army gives himself up....Sunday-school convention opens tonight. City to send its bonds to market without costing a cent....Health Office receives reports of bubonic plague in San Francisco, contradicting Gov. Gage's statements....Prosperity shown by tax redemptions....Hot opposition to license ordinance....Attorney Skinner of Riverside accuses Whittier and Kern Oil Company of misrepresentation. Pickpocket Heinrichs sentenced to three years in penitentiary....West Adams Heights Association incorporates with $200,000 capital.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Pasadena cycleway may be removed....Hall site question at Santa Monica....Young man drowned near Point Concepcion. Santa Ana Chamber of Commerce growing....Covina's main street to be paved....Santa Fé needs more property for shops and yards in San Bernardino. Pomona citizens trying to open hotel. Plenty of Thanksgiving amusement in Riverside....Ontario's new walks unsatisfactory....Victim of fractured skull recovering in Long Beach. Chair car on overland train half burned at Needles.

COAST. Hero goes insane....Sea wall sinking....Surveyor-General dead. Big timber deal....Chinese lobbyist arrives....Held for an old offense. Newman sent to jail....One of Morrow's murderers confesses....Standard at Unalaska....To establish communication with Nome....Earle makes an assignment....Crushed out his life....Bishop Partridge marries.

EASTERN. Steel trusts big profits. Sudden death of ex-Gov. Waite....No change in tariff probable....New religion which claims divine revelation. Clem Studebaker dead....Trainmen refuse to go out....Hope diamond held at half million....Bodies recovered from débris of Detroit fire....Alleged husband granted a divorce....Accept Carnegie's gift with condition attached.

WASHINGTON. President pleases irrigation advocates....Jamaica treaty dead, but McLachlan did not know it. Senator Bard's quarters....Civil service extended....Quarles views an Indian problem....Secretary Hitchcock's report....Bonine murder trial....Many exclusion bills to be introduced.

FOREIGN. Alban's forces defeated. Ship sails with ammunition for Colombian rebels....Astor denies report that he purchased Battle Abbey....Mass over late Count Von Hatzveldt....Colombia breaks off relations with Venezuela.

SPORTS. Jeffries to meet Fitzsimmons....Live-bird shooting....Challenge declared by University of California. Sale of Directum.

RAILROADS. Hays return hailed with joy....Gov. Geer's reply to Van Sant....Hill insists on legality of combination....Railroads at war in Omaha. Abandon electricity for steam.

COLOMBIA.

ROUT OF REGULARS.

Alban Beaten Back to San Pablo.

Rebels Under Barrera Retake the Bridge.

Fighting All Day Along the Panama Railroad.

Government Forces Completely Surprised by Impetuosity of the Insurgents.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BOHIA SOLDADO (Colombia.) In the field with revolutionary troops, 5:30 p.m., via Colon, Colombia, Nov. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Colombian insurgents have recaptured Barbacoa bridge, driven the government forces from Bohia Soldado and Buena Vista, and a few minutes ago Gen. Barrera, arriving here on horseback, announced that Gen. Alban's force had been routed and had returned to its position near San Pablo.

Fighting took place along the Panama Railroad all day, and was at times furious. While the New York Herald correspondent was taking notes, less than an hour ago, near Buena Vista, spent bullets dropped near his position. Many bodies are floating down the Chagres River. The excitement along the river is intense.

Gen. Barrera, who had been the principal leader of the insurgent force during the day's fighting, gave details of the rout of Gen. Alban and flight to San Pablo, which is near the middle of the isthmus. Gen. Barrera said his soldiers captured a Gatling gun in the [illegible] government troops rushed forward. They thought that the revolutionists were out of ammunition, and were preparing to retreat. In their indiscretion they exposed themselves, and the rebels poured into them a galling fire. The government force was mowed down mercilessly. Then followed a rout, and Alban's soldiers sought protection in their position in the vicinity of San Pablo.

The Liberals are enthusiastic. They are shouting this evening "Vivan los Liberales!" They are expecting reinforcements from Gatun in about an hour.

This day the revolutionary success which undid all that the government troops accomplished yesterday, began at 4 o'clock this morning. Gen. Barrera decided to surprise Alban's victorious soldiers, who were encamped around Barbacoa bridge, which is the strategic point, and which the insurgents were determined to recapture. The bridge is an iron structure, and crosses the Chagres River.

Gen. Barrera's activity brought him complete triumph. The government forces were completely surprised. There was stubborn resistance at the bridge for a few minutes, but the revolutionists occupied such a good position that Alban's soldiers could not withstand the attack. The insurgents, cheering, crossed the bridge and took position on the other side and kept driving the Conservatives before them.

Gen. Alban, with 600 men, left San Pablo at 10 o'clock in the morning, but could not stem the tide against him. He proceeded to Buena Vista, where there was fierce fighting. The revolutionists kept well under cover and advanced steadily. They were well supplied with ammunition. Only for brief intervals were there lulls in the hostilities.

The latest intelligence from the front is that fighting has ceased. The victorious insurgents are weary from their long day's battle, and it is not likely they will attack the government troops near Can Pablo tonight.

News is just received that two vessels have landed Liberal reinforcements and a large supply of ammunition at Chorrera. Troops with ammunition are on their way here.

BEFORE THE ROUT.

TROUBLE ON THE CHAGRES.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

COLON (Colombia) Nov. 27, 2 p.m.—[By Central American Cable.] The following dispatch has been received from Panama:

"The Colombian gunboat Boyoca was dispatched Tuesday, having on board about fifty soldiers for Chamo or its vicinity, where it was said a party of Liberals, under Gen. Torres, has received quite recently a fresh supply of arms and ammunition.

"San Pablo and Barbacoa are known to be Liberal strongholds and places very easy to defend, while to cross the bridge spanning the Chagres River, now swollen, was next to impossible for an attacking force. The feat was accomplished, however, but the reason the Liberals abandoned Barbacoa is not made clear. The death rate on the government side was very great, many bodies falling into the river. An attempt was also made to make a detour on the river in boats, but the Chagres being swollen, the boats capsized and many were drowned.

"Gen. Castro commands the government force at Barbacoa. Gen. Alban tried to get a train yesterday morning to convey 200 men to the scene of the engagement at Barbacoa, but Capt. Perry of the Iowa said that not a single armed man would be allowed to enter train. The feeling here against foreigners, particularly Americans, runs high.

"A special train at Panama to convey Gen. Alban alone and unarmed awaited the arrival for hours of the morning train from Colon, but on the arrival of the latter here at 6 o'clock in the evening bringing fifty wounded men, among whom were several officers with the news that the government troops had victoriously crossed the bridge at Barbacoa, the special train was not dispatched, and Gen. Alban remained at Panama.

"At 5:30 p.m. yesterday a large procession, headed by a band of music, marched in an orderly manner all over the city of Panama shouting Gen. Alban's praises and claiming that a deathblow had been given the Liberal cause in this department."

It was learned on the best authority this afternoon that Gen. Jeffries is with Gen. Alban on the Colon side of the Barbacoa bridge, and 200 men from Panama are now marching to join them.

PORTO BELLO FIRED ON.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

COLON, Nov. 27.—An American named Murphy relates the following story confirming the report that the government gunboat Gen. Pinson fired on Porto Bello:

Monday morning Murphy was in an open boat bound for Playadonna on a mining excursion. Besides himself there were three Chinese and a Colombian negro in the boat, which was commanded by the colored man. When they were passing Porto Bello a boat containing soldiers from the Pinson, then at anchor off Porto Bello, captured Murphy and his companions. After they had been made prisoners, and while on their way to the gunboat, the Gen. Pinson fired many shots at Porto Bello.

On arriving on board the gunboat Murphy learned that no less than fifty shots had been fired at Porto Bello. He also says that from the gunboat one or two of the largest houses of the place could be plainly seen to have been wrecked. Men from the Pinson who went ashore at Porto Bello said the town was evacuated. Not a single Liberal was to be seen anywhere, having fled on the arrival of the Pinson. Murphy asserts that explosive bullets were used by the Liberals. Murphy was handed over to the officers of the United States gunboat Marietta when the Pinson returned to Colon.

It was [illegible] cartridges. The [illegible] now occupy Taboguilla, which is on the Colon side of Barbacoa.

DIVINE REVELATION BY A TYPEWRITER.

NEW BIBLE GIVEN TO WORLD IN UP-TO-DATE STYLE.

New York Dentist Directed by an Angel to Get the Machine and Spirit Control Guided His Awkward Fingers Through the Appointed Task.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—What may be regarded as a promulgation, similar to that of the founding of the Mormon church, has just been made public by Dr. Harry St. Clair, says the Syracuse correspondent of the Press. Dr. St. Clair says he possesses a new Bible, which he calls Oahspe, and this document forms the basis on which he expects to found the new religion. Already he has won many followers.

The agent of the sect founded on the book Oahspe worked along up-to-date lines. He used a typewriter. Now that he is dead, his followers assert that his mantle has fallen upon Dr. St. Clair. Dr. St. Clair explained the movement in the following language:

"The new Bible was written through the instrumentality of Dr. J. B. Newbrough, a dentist of New York. Finally, he was directed by an angel to get a typewriter, which he did, and applied himself industriously to learning, but with indifferent success. One morning, two years later, as he was sitting at the typewriter, the light struck on the backs of his hands, and they began to work the machine and kept it up for fifteen minutes.

"The doctor was told not to read what he had written, and he obeyed reverently. One morning he looked out of the window and beheld the line of light extending heavenward. Above his head were three pairs of hands, fully materialized, and behind him was an angel with her hand on his shoulder. The result was the Oahspe, which the dentist was ordered to spread throughout the world. Dr. St. Clair was also told by dream revelation to take his place and spread the gospel."

NOT VIOLATING LAW.

NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—When the reply of Gov. Toole of Montana to the invitation of Gov. Van Sant of Minnesota to enter a conference of Northwest Governors of States against the Northern Securities Company, was shown to J. J. Hill, president of the Great Northern Railway, by an Associated Press reporter, he said:

"When the gentlemen get through telegraphing to each other they will find that the Northern Securities Company is entirely within its rights, and is not violating any law of the States of Montana or Minnesota."

HIS LIKENESS IN THE EVENING PAPERS.

SUICIDE OF CITY TREASURER YOUNG OF LOUISVILLE.

Sensational Account Published of Discrepancies in His Books—Leaves His Bride of a Few Months Alone to Kill Himself Near the River.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LOUISVILLE (Ky.) Nov. 27.—After being offered by two newsboys an evening paper which stated that his books were under examination by an expert accountant, Stuart D. Young, retiring City Treasurer of Louisville, tonight went to the rear of a warehouse at Sixth and Nelson streets and committed suicide by shooting himself behind the right ear with a pistol.

The publication in an evening paper of a sensational story, saying in substance that accountants were at work on the books of the retiring treasurer, and that it was reported that discrepancies had been found in his accounts, caused a great stir throughout the city. Immediately Young's friends began to look for him, not believing the reports. They were surprised at being unable to find him. But shortly after 6 o'clock, Young was seen at the ladies' entrance of the Louisville Hotel on Main street, where he lived with his bride of a few months. A newsboy ran up and said: "Mr. Young, don't you want a paper? It's got your picture in it."

One glance at the double-column headlines told Young why the paper had printed a double-column picture of him. Instead of entering the hotel, he walked down Fifth street toward the river, the newsboys following him on the other side of the street. Just after passing Nelson street, Young turned off between some box-cars. The boys feared to follow him any farther, and returning to the Louisville Hotel, described Young's actions to a hackman named Johnston, whose carriage stands in front of the hotel.

Johnston was acquainted with Young, and following the direction given by newsboys, passed between the box cars and brought up under a covered driveway in the rear of the business house of J. M. Robinson, Norton & Co., just east of the Union station. Here he saw Young lying face downward in the cinders, his right arm under him. Johnston shook the form of the man, not suspecting he had killed himself. Seeing a bullet hole behind Young's right ear, Johnston turned the body over. Then he saw a pistol in Young's right hand. Life was extinct.

Stuart B. Young was 35 years old and one of the most prominent men in Louisville. He was a graduate of Princeton University, a son of Col. Bennett H. Young, a prominent lawyer and ex-Confederate soldier of Louisville, and a brother of Lawrence Young of Chicago, president of the Washington Park Jockey Club. He married last July Miss Bessie Wymond, one of the most beautiful women in Kentucky. Four years ago, Young was elected Treasurer, and under the law was ineligible for reëlection, his successor having been elected November 5.

Nobody can make an authoritative statement tonight about the accounts of Young as City Treasurer. He is said to have bet heavily on the races. The city is protected by a bond.

WASHINGTON.

WU WAXES WROTH.

Makes a Speech at White House.

Dares Editors to Meet Him in Debate.

Thinks He Can Vanquish Three Opinion Molders.

Bonine Trial—Panama Canal Official Departs—Labor Unions Active.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Chinese Minister Wu uttered another challenge to the American people today, and this one from the White House itself. Wu had called to see the President. After the audience he was asked what he had called about. He declined to discuss his talk with the President.

"Well, never mind that, tell us about Chinese exclusion," suggested some one.

"Yes," retorted Wu, quick as a flash, "I will tell you about your cruel, unwise and undiplomatic law against my people. I will ask you how long you expect to be able to sell us your goods without letting our people come here? How long can you keep that one-sided arrangement up? Do you expect that we shall never turn upon you, and demand our rights?"

By this time Wu was very mad, and a crowd had collected in the corridors of the White House. With a few less bitter remarks he withdrew.

APPEALED TO FOSTER.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—Wu Ting Fang, the Chinese Minister, called upon the President today. In the course of the interview, which took place in the Cabinet room, the reenactment of the Chinese exclusion act was discussed. When the Chinese Minister emerged from the White House he declined to tell a group of newspaper men whether his government was protesting against the reenactment of the exclusion law.

"All we want," said he, "is justice and fairness."

As he was saying this, the Minister was greeted by Senator Foster of Washington, who is himself very much interested in Chinese exclusion.

"Senator," said the Minister, turning to him, "you are a fair man. Remember that justice and right have neither color nor fay. We do not ask for favors, we only ask for equality."

In the course of his conversation with the newspaper men Wu suggested that he would be willing to meet any three of the managing editors who favored exclusion, and debate the question before an impartial tribunal.

PRESIDENT WILL HELP.

INTERESTED IN IRRIGATION.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Thomas H. Walsh of Colorado, president of the National Irrigation Association, and George H. Maxwell of California, executive chairman of the same association, had a talk with the President today about irrigation, and saw that part of his message referring to that great subject. Both gentlemen say that the President is going in for national irrigation stronger than for any other single domestic thing. Following the example of two of his Cabinet, he will come out strongly for direct Federal aid for irrigation of the arid regions of the West, and will directly urge, as Secretary Hitchcock and Secretary Wilson have already done, that Congress make an appropriation for irrigation work in the West.

Irrigationists plan asking Congress to appropriate about $3,000,000 this year, the money to be used in building three great storage reservoirs. Before that appropriation can be made there must be at hand two seprate reports on irrigation in California, one from the Agricultural Department, which has made extensive investigations, and the other from the Geological Survey, which has its agents now in California making investigations.

JAMAICA TREATY DEAD.

M'LACHLAN KNEW IT NOT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Congressman McLachlan called upon the President today to pay his respects, and talk about Southern California affairs. McLachlan talked to the President about citrus fruits, thinking that the Jamaican reciprocity treaty was still alive, whereas that document has been slumbering in the grave during one long hot summer.

STAYS AT THE NORMANDIE.

SENATOR BARD'S QUARTERS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Senator Bard of California is due here on Saturday, and will reoccupy the quarters at the Normandie Hotel, where he has stopped for two winters past. The Los Angeles Times' Pan-American excursion party stopped at the Normandie last summer.

PHILIPPINE REVENUES.

GRATIFYING INCREASE SHOWN.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The annual report of Frank A. Branagan, Treasurer of the Philippine Archipelago, has been received at the War Department.

The receipts for the fiscal year, from July 1, 1900, to June 3, 1901, were $10,-208,101.32, which, added to the balance at the beginning of the year of $2,468,-532.21, made $12,676,733.53 to be accounted for. Receipts were divided as follows:

Customs, $8,466,668.21; postal revenues, $95,015.62; internal revenue, $874,649.57; miscellaneous, $602,133.56, and repayments, $168,191.16.

Several interesting facts are developed from figures given. One is that the postal service of the archipelago cost $117,388.08, or just $22,372.31 more than it produced in revenue; on the other hand, the customs service cost only $253,667.43, which, compared with revenues, shows a profit of over $8,000,000, and profits from internal revenue amounted to over $800,000.

The disbursements on account of customs show an increase over the preceding year of $124,194.83; on internal revenue of $63,026.87. Branagan says:

"The receipts from all sources show a gratifying increase over those of last year, especially so in customs and internal revenue, the former showing an increase of 49 per cent., and the latter 67 per cent."

AGAINST DEFENDANT.

TESTIMONY IN BONINE TRIAL.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—The principal witness today before the criminal court in which Mrs. Lola Ida Bonine is being tried for the murder of James S. Ayres, Jr., was Dr. Martin V. Glazebrook, deputy Coroner. He described in detail the three wounds on the young man's body, and the court crier, stripped to the waist, was used to illustrate the course of the wounds for the instruction of the jury.

Dr. Glazebrook also testified that Mrs. Bonine had given him her version of the manner in which Ayers came to his death, claiming that the wounds were inflicted while the pistol was in Ayers's hands, and illustrating how the tragedy occurred, but he thought that it was impossible for the wounds to have been made with the weapon in Ayers's own hands. She had told him that he was at her back, and had his arms clasped about her when the shots were fired.

EXTENDS CIVIL SERVICE.

RULING OF PRESIDENT.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—The President has amended the civil-service rules to provide that whenever the position of an agent at any Indian agency is discontinued, and its duties devolve upon the superintendent of the Indian training school, located at the agency, the agent may be made a classified employé at the agency.

The agent will be subjected to tests of fitness prescribed by the Secretary of the Interior and the Civil Service Commission. The number of Indian agencies has been reduced from fifty-seven in 1898 to forty-five at the present time. The intention is to retain in the classified service such agents as prove their efficiency.

INDIAN PROBLEM.

SENATOR QUARLES'S VIEWS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—Senator Quarles of Wisconsin, who is chairman of the Committee on Indian Affairs of the Senate, and who made a tour of the Indian reservations last summer with Indian Commissioner Jones, today talked with the President about the Indian question generally.

He agrees with Commissioner Jones in the belief that to make the Indian self-supporting should be the aim of the government, and that its attainment would solve the problem. Progress to that end, he says, must proceed slowly. In a general way he thinks the first steps must be the breaking up of tribal relations, the allotment of the lands in severalty, and the admission of the Indian youth to public schools. The Indian eventually should become a citizen.

FOR CHINESE EXCLUSION.

AUTHORS OF NEW BILLS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Up to the present time the following have signified their intentions of introducing Chinese exclusion bills at the opening of the Congressional session: Senator Fairbanks of Indiana, Senator Lodge of Massachusetts, Representative Kahn of California, Senator Proctor of Vermont, Representative Cooper of Wisconsin and Representative Jenkins of Wisconsin.

LABOR UNIONS ACTIVE.

WANT GOVERNMENT TO BUILD.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—There is a systematic and well-organized movement among the labor organizations of the country looking to legislation at the coming session of Congress for the construction at government navy yards of some of the warships authorized by Congress. The Secretary of the Navy is being overwhelmed with petitions and resolutions of labor unions along this line.

PANAMA CANAL PRESIDENT.

FORCED TO RETURN TO FRANCE.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—President Hutin, of the Pan-American Canal Company, accompanied by Chancellor Roeuve of the French embassy, who has been acting as his legal adviser, during the negotiations with the Isthmian Canal Commission, called at the State Department to say farewell to Secretary Hay before returning to France today. He is called to Paris to attend the annual meeting of stockholders of the Pan-American Canal Company, but expects to return to the United States early next year, and while Congress is still in session.

MISS STONE DEAD.

RUMOR AGAIN REPEATED.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—Secretary Hay received a dispatch from Constantinople this afternoon, repeating a rumor that has reached there that Miss Stone, the American missionary, who has been held captive by the Bulgarian brigands for several months, and her companion in captivity, Mme. Tsilka, are dead. The report, however, lacks confirmation, and is not credited by either Spencer Eddy, the American charge at Constantinople, or by Dickinson, the Consul-General there. The reported death of Mme. Tsilka is said to have been from childbirth, and that of Miss Stone from grief, the story coming from Salonika.

Regarding Mme. Tsilka, the report is regarded here as simply a reiteration of a story which has been repeated heretofore several times.

The latest accounts from Miss Stone have represented her to be in good health.

BULGARIA'S REPLY.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SOFIA, Nov. 27.—The government has forwarded to C. M. Dickinson, the United States diplomatic agent here, who recently left this city for Constantinople, a reply to his note of November 12, concerning Miss Stone, the American missionary. It is merely a repetition of the official views already cabled, repudiating the responsibility of Bulgaria, and alleging that the officials had given every assistance possible in the matter.

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OBITUARY.

NOTABLE MEN PASS AWAY.

James M. Gleaves Dies of Peritonitis.

Waite's Stormy Career Ends Peacefully.

Death of Clem Studebaker, the World-renowned Manufacturer.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 27.—James M. Gleaves, United States Surveyor-General for California, died this morning.

His illness was due to perontonitis, caused by unknown complications, following the eating of lobster salad. Monday his physicians gave up all hope. He steadily sank, and his death was expected all day yesterday. He lingered, however, until an early hour today.

Dr. C. C. Gleaves, a son of the patient, arrived from Fresno last night in response to an urgent telegram. In addition, there were present at the death bed Mrs. Gleaves and the patient's two sons, J. M. and Charles B., both clerks in his office.

Gleaves was born in Guerney county, O., September 10, 1852. He came to this State in 1874, locating in Shasta county, where he became a mining engineer and searcher of records. In 1894 he was elected State Senator on the Republican ticket from the Second District. He was for several years chairman of the California River and Harbor Improvement Company. He was appointed Surveyor-General by the late President McKinley, and took charge of the office March 31, 1898. He was a Thirty-third-degree Mason, president of the Ohio Society, and a member of the Olympic and Union League clubs.

EX-GOV. WAITE.

STORMY CAREER ENDED.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ASPEN (Colo.) Nov. 27.—Former Gov. David H. Waite of Colorado fell dead here today at 9 o'clock, while peeling apples. He had been in good health up to the very moment of his death. It is believed that the cause of death was heart trouble.

David Hanson Waite was born at Jamestown, N. Y., April 9, 1825. During the early part of his life he was engaged in mercantile pursuits at Russell, Pa., and Fond du Lac and Princeton, Wis. He was a member of the Wisconsin Legislature in 1857. He removed to Larned, Kan., in 1876, where he was elected to the Legislature. He came to Colorado in 1879, practicing law at Leadville and Aspen.

He was a Republican in politics until 1892, when he was a delegate to the Populist convention at Omaha. He was nominated for Governor of Colorado in that year by the People's party, and was elected. His administration during 1893 and 1894 was tempestuous and eventful. Twice he called out the State militia, the first time to maintain order in Cripple Creek during the miners' strike, and the second time to seat his appointees on the Denver Fire and Police Board, whose authority had been disputed by the old board, and who had been forcibly excluded from the City Hall. Gov. Waite was a candidate for reelection in 1894, but was defeated by Charles A. McIntire (Rep.)

CLEM STUDEBAKER.

GREAT MANUFACTURER DEAD.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SOUTH BEND (Ind.) Nov. 27.—Hon. Clem Studebaker died at 11:55 o'clock today.

Studebaker was born in Adams county, Pa., March 21, 1831. When he was 4 years old, the family moved to Wayne county, O., in wagons. His father, John Studebaker, followed the trade of blacksmithing and wagonmaking. In 1850 Clem Studebaker went to South Bend, Ind., where he taught school during the winter of 1850 and 1851. In the spring of 1851, he found employment in the blacksmith department of a company manufacturing thrashing machines, receiving his board and 50 cents a day.

When he arrived at South Bend he had only $2, but by careful saving he was able, in February, 1852, to start in the blacksmith business with an elder brother named Henry. Later they received a government contract for 100 wagons, which was executed to the entire satisfaction of the government. This gave them a start, and from that time the firm grew to its large proportions. In 1868 the company was incorporated as the Studebaker Bros. Manufacturing Company, with Clem Studebaker as president.

He was for many years a member of the New York Book Concern of the Methodist Episcopal Church. He was twice a lay delegate to the general conference of the church; twice delegate to the National Republican Convention, was Commissioner for Indiana at the Paris Exposition; was president of the Indiana Board of World's Fair Managers; a member of the Carriage Builders' National Association since its organization, and one time its president; was appointed by President Harrison a member of the Pan-American Congress during the winter of 1889 and 1890; was a member of the board of trustees of the Depau University, and president of the Chautauqua Assembly.

Col. Henry Whigham.

CHICAGO, Nov. 27.—Col. Henry Whigham of Raton, N. M., a member of the staff of Gov. Otero, is dead of heart disease here. Col. Whigham was interested in the Maxwell land grant in New Mexico, and in iron and copper mines in Michigan.

UNDER CIVIL SERVICE.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—The President today signed an order bringing the rural free-delivery service into the classified civil service. The order became effective immediately, so far as the 250 clerks, special agents and route inspectors of that service are concerned, but provides that until regulations are formulated for the appointment of rural carriers, such employés shall not be treated as within the classified service. The carriers number 6000, and are steadily increasing.

Vacancies other than those of carriers will be filled by appointments from eligible registers of the commission. Rural carriers will not have to undergo scholastic examinations. Appointments of them will be made from persons resident of the neighborhood, wholly for fitness and irrespective of political or personal conditions. Transfers will not be allowed on positions of rural free-delivery carrier to any other service in the classified service.

SWITCHMEN FACE DEFEAT.

Strikers not Dismayed by the Prospects That Trainmen Will Assist Their Employers in Railroad Trouble.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PITTSBURGH (Pa.) Nov. 27.—The railway trainmen decided officially and finally at a delegate meeting held at the Avenue Theater today that they would continue work, notwithstanding the strike of the Switchmen's Union of North America. This means that they will take out trains made up by non-union men, and that the switchmen, who are members of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, will combat the strike of their union.

At a late hour tonight, Morrisey and Fitzgerald are in secret conference with Robert Pitcairn, general superintendent of the Pennsylvania lines. What the subject of the conference is, has not been learned.

The strikers continue confident of ultimately winning the strike, and say the action taken by the Brotherhood of Trainmen will not materially affect their cause. They say the roads are to all intents and purposes tied up, and that tonight even passenger trains are being blocked. The company officials say that what delay there may be in passenger business is caused by the congested condition of the roads here and elsewhere.

ARRAIGNED FOR TRIAL.

BOUND OVER FOR GRAND JURY.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

MADISONVILLE (Ky.) Nov. 27.—The twenty-one union men taken prisoners last Sunday morning by the Sheriff of Hopkins county, were arraigned for trial before Judge Hall today. The court ordered that all persons who wished to remain in the courtroom be searched for concealed weapons. Judge Hall said he did not expect any trouble, but he wished to be sure that there would be no outbreak of any kind.

The defense filed an affidavit against the impartiality of Judge Hall, and a justice was named to conduct the trial. When the court convened in the afternoon, the defense asked permission to withdraw the affidavits, and waived the examining trial.

The court took the personal recognizance of the prisoners to answer any charge the grand jury at the next February term might find against them, and released them without bail.

FISHERMEN STRIKE.

DEMAND HIGHER PERCENTAGE.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PENSACOLA (Fla.) Nov. 27.—Nine schooners of the fishing fleets of C. E. Saunders & Co. and the Warren Fishing Company are tied up at the wharves here, and the fishermen are on a strike, demanding a higher percentage of the catches.

NO LAWS IN OREGON AGAINST TRUSTS.

GOV. GEER'S REPLY TO REQUEST OF VAN SANT.

Favors Conference Suggested, but Could not Attend it Unless it Were Held on Pacific Coast—Hill Asserts Legality of Combination.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SALEM (Or.) Nov. 27.—Gov. Geer today replied to Gov. Van Sant of Minnesota, on the latter's request for views on the absorption of the Northern Pacific and the Great Northern railroads by the Northern Securities Company. Gov. Geer said: "Oregon has no laws regulating combinations of capital, and none regulating freight rates."

Regarding consolidation, Gov. Geer says: "Unless consolidation of railway companies should be followed by increased freight or passenger rates it would be difficult to see where objection to it would lie."

After commending Gov. Van Sant's efforts to enforce the laws of his State, Gov. Geer says: "I should certainly favor holding such a conference as you suggest, but could not attend it unless held on this Coast, which would perhaps not be feasible."

WARRING RAILROADS.

BITTER RIVALRY IN OMAHA.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

OMAHA (Neb.) Nov. 27.—Judge Dickinson, in the District Court today dissolved the injunction secured by the Burlington Railway against the City Council restraining it from passing an ordinance vacating Eighth street for the use of the Chicago and Northwestern road. The latter road at once began condemnation proceedings, and the Council met in extra session to act on the matter.

The fight has been a bitter one between the two roads, the Burlington seeking to keep the Northwestern from running its tracks into the wholesale district. Several cars have been thrown from the tracks into the middle of Eighth street by both roads, and each has kept a force of men on the scene of the trouble to prevent the other from building or tearing up tracks.

RETURN TO STEAM.

TROLLEY SERVICE ABANDONED.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 27.—The Pennsylvania Railroad Company has given formal notice of the permanent abandonment of the trolley service between Mt. Holly and Burlington, N. J., and the substitution of steam.

The electrical equipment was put in operation June 13, 1896. The working of the system was closely observed by the officials of the company, and it did not meet their expectations.

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Injunction Issued Against Philadelphia Building Trades Council.

[NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 27.—Justice McCarthy of the Common Pleas Court has issued an injunction against the Council of the Allied Building Trades forbidding the Council or its agents to instigate strikes at buildings where contractors employ labor that is not affiliated with that organization. Judge McCarthy also denied the right of the defendants to order contractors to discharge members of labor organizations that are not affiliated with the Council of the Allied Building Trades. Further and specifically, he ordered them to refrain from threats, expressed or implied, that employers would suffer loss by hiring the plaintiffs.

The injunction proceedings was brought by Erdman and others. Until April 20, the plaintiffs had been employed for many years by a local plumbing firm. Until the call of a strike, general contractors Wells & Wells of Chicago had the plaintiffs removed from a building in course of construction. The plaintiffs were members of the Plumbers' League, an organization not affiliated with the Building Trades Council, and their places were taken by United Association plumbers, who were members of the Building Trades Council. The case will probably be taken to a higher court.

MISS HAY ENGAGED.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—The engagement was announced today of Miss Helen Hay, eldest daughter of Secretary of State Hay, to Payne Whitney, second son of William C. Whitney, formerly Secretary of the Navy.

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COAST RECORD.

BILLIARD CUE AND A JAP.

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Police Sergeant Among the Men Held Up.

New Evangelistic Movement in San Francisco—Stockton Police Scandal.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SACRAMENTO, Nov. 28.—Frank Soto, who appears to be about 20 years of age, held up the Lafayette saloon at the point of a pistol, five minutes before midnight, obtaining $109.

Fifteen or twenty men were in the front part of the saloon drinking when Soto entered. He ranged the men along the side of the wall by word of command, enforced by a pistol. He then demanded the cash back of the bar, ordering the bartenders, Roy Whitehouse and Victor Lascano, to pass it over. This occupied several seconds, as the men were nervous. Soto swept the coin into his side coat pocket, and said: "Now, give me the money in the cash register."

One of the bartenders obeyed by pulling out the cash tray and setting it in front of the robber. Just at this moment, Police Sergt. Robert Ash burst in through the swinging doors of the saloon.

"Stop, or you're a dead man," yelled Soto, turning on the officer.

"All right; you've got the drop on me. I quit," replied Ash.

"Throw up your hands and back out of here," was the desperado's next command.

Ash threw up his hands and then began the march to the door. Ash went slowly backward, Soto following. As Ash touched the doors with his back, he saw that the movement of the doors distracted Soto's glance for an instant, which was fatal to the robber.

Quick as a flash, Ash threw himself on the robber, grabbed his pistol, and then began a terrific struggle. Both are powerful men, and the drinkers in the saloon seemed too much cowed to help. A Japanese barber, called "Japanese Jack," ran in from a rear room with a billiard cue and struck Soto a blow on the head, which stunned and felled him. He was quickly handcuffed and taken to jail. He refused to make a statement.

When he first held up the bartenders, he said: "I may swing for this, but I must have that money."

"CHRISTIAN COMRADES."

NEW EVANGELISTIC MOVE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A new religious experiment is to be tried in San Francisco by several seceding clergymen from evangelical faiths and some other persons who declare themselves dissatisfied with existing conditions among the denominations. Under the name of "Christian Comrades," they are about to launch a new movement which they term "new evangelism." Rev. Robert Whitaker, at present the head of the Baptist Church in Palo Alto, is the leader of the movement, and with him are associated Rev. C. Calvert Smoot, formerly pastor of the First Baptist Church of Eugene, Or., and Rev. F. I. Wheat, formerly pastor of Park Congregational Church in this city, and Warren L. Foss, once vice-principal of Stockton High School. These men claim there are a number of other prominent clergy of the city interested, but decline to give their names.

As stated by Whitaker tonight, the new movement will refuse all sectarian names and all test of dogma. They will welcome all who believe in good and wish to lead clean lives. They disclaim any intent to overthrow existing denominations, and intend to work toward the unity of Christian faiths. They intend to conduct not only a church, but all the institutions of the Salvation Army, such as rescue work, care of suffering and publications setting forth their objects. In connection with their other activities, they will run some sort of business, partly, they say, to pay the first costs of movements and partly to give example of how commerce can be carried on through Christian principles.

WHEELS OF JUSTICE MOVING SLOWLY.

HARD TO GET A JURY TO TRY ALLEGED LYNCHERS.

All the Talesmen Have Formed Decided Opinions on the Case—Only Three Have Been Accepted Since the Trial Opened on Monday.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ALTURAS, Nov. 27.—The examination of talesmen in the case of J. W. Brown et al., the alleged Lookout lynchers, was continued today, but when the time of adjournment arrived not one had been passed to serve as a juror. Only three jurors have been accepted since the opening of the case on Monday.

Each talesman is questioned as to articles commenting on the crime which have been published in the leading papers of the State, especially regarding an article appearing on July 5, in which Modoc county is held up to the world as being the rendezvous of criminals. The articles referred to have been read by nearly all of the men examined, and many have plainly shown their resentment of the statements made.

The court adjourned this evening until Friday morning.

DAUB AND BOOK RING.

LIVELY SESSION AT STOCKTON.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

STOCKTON, Nov. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The annual teachers' institute closed today, and some very strong resolutions were adopted before the pedagogues adjourned. The present system of accrediting high schools throughout the State was attacked in no uncertain terms by the committee. After the report was read there was considerable discussion, but when it came to a vote a resolution declaring the system unsatisfactory was adopted by a unanimous vote.

County Superintendent of Schools Daub of Kern county gave the alleged "book ring" a severe grilling. In advocating the liberal use of supplemental books for school work in preference to some of the publications of the State printing office at Sacramento, he stated that "that book ring at Sacramento" wishes to curtail the use of supplemental books. He urged each teacher to see to it that his representative in the next Legislature voted for no bill to carry out the design of the alleged "ring."

JUSTICE AFTER LISALDA.

MEXICO GIVES HIM UP.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Nov. 27.—Over a month ago Gov. Murphy issued a requisition on Gov. Rafael Ysabel of Sonora for the extradition of Guillermo Lisalda, who murdered a woman at Yuma two years ago. The requisition was made under the treaty with Mexico that Governors of Northern Mexican States might surrender fugitives without reference to the Federal government.

Ysabel, not desiring to act, referred the matter to the Federal government. Sheriff Livingston of Yuma, who went after Lisalda, applied to the American Consul at Nogales, who referred, through the State Department, to the Mexican government. Ysabel was then instructed to surrender Lisalda, but the latter had set up a claim of being a Mexican citizen. Livingston brought proof that he was born in Arizona, and the question assumed a national character.

Yesterday Gov. Murphy received word from Gov. Ysabel that he had been directed to surrender the prisoner, the Mexican government evidently disregarding Lisalda's claim to citizenship, and, testifying by the act a willingness to work in harmony with American border States for the punishment of criminals.

MORROW'S MURDERERS.

WADE ADMITS HIS GUILT.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PORTLAND (Or.) Nov. 27.—Jack Wade, a las "Kid" McFadden, and W. H. Dalton, who are charged with the murder of James B. Morrow, were arraigned today.

Wade pleaded guilty to murder in order that he may testify against Dalton at the trial. Under the statutes Judge Fraser of the Circuit Court will now be the sole judge of whether Wade is guilty of murder in the first or second degree.

Dalton pleaded not guilty. The time for the trial will be set Friday.

STRANDED AT UNALASKA.

PASSENGERS IN DISTRESS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SEATTLE (Wash.) Nov. 27.—Advices from the North bring news that the long overdue schooner Ralph J. Long, from Nome, lies stranded at Unalaska with 115 passengers. The vessel is out of wood, the passengers have spent all their money to obtain the absolute necessities of life, and they now appeal for help to the War Department.

The Chamber of Commerce here will ask the authorities at Washington to send a revenue cutter, or some government vessel to bring down the starving people.

The Long reached Unalaska on October 3. The storekeepers at that point refuse to advance enough provisions to allow the schooner to reach Puget Sound, and the passengers are afraid to venture out in a helpless condition.

STOCKTON POLICE SCANDAL.

CHIEF GALL TO RESIGN.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

STOCKTON, Nov. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Chief of Police John D. Gall admitted today that he had decided to resign and would go into business in San Francisco about the first of January. For several days there have been rumors that he would leave the department, but the Chief, as well as the Police Commissioners, denied that there would be any change, though it was quite generally known yesterday that he would retire.

Back of his resignation, it is alleged, there is a story, and it is known that the grand jury is at present investigating the alleged improper conduct of certain policemen with four young girls, two of whom are under the age of consent. The misses were spirited out of town before subpoenas could be served on them, and up to this week they could not be located. One of them, Sinah Baker, was found at Tesla and brought before the grand jury. She is said to have given some strong testimony, and there has been considerable talk about the affair.

Prominent citizens are urging that a thorough investigation be made, and some startling developments are anticipated.

NEWS FROM NOME.

PLAN OF COMMUNICATION.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SEATTLE (Wash.) Nov. 27.—Special advices from Nome state that Capt. Hansen of the Northern Commercial Company has initiated a plan whereby that place can communicate with the outside world in six days' time. This plan embraces telegraphic communication with only one break in the line, which will be covered by fast dog teams. The Nome cable runs to St. Michael and from that point an overland wire runs to Tanana. There the break commences and extends to Eagle, where the wire connects with Dawson. Thence the line goes through to the United States.

BIG TIMBER DEAL.

CALL FOR VAST OUTLAY.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SACRAMENTO, Nov. 27.—John Batcher, Jr., has just returned from Minneapolis, where he has been for a few weeks past completing the sale of 20,000 acres of valuable timber land in El Dorado county to a Minneapolis lumber company. It is said that the timber will at once be placed on the market. In order to do this it will be necessary to build a great mill in the forest of sugar and yellow pine, and also to construct a railroad, involving an expenditure of at least $1,000,000.

CHINESE LOBBYIST.

ARRIVED ON THE DORIC.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 27.—Some excitement has been caused in Chinatown by the arrival on the Doric of a special emissary of the Chinese government, in the person of Chen Knai Yut. Ostensibly Chen Knai Yut's mission to the United States is that of joining the Chinese Embassy at Washington; but it is rumored that in reality he is here to bring about, if possible, the defeat of the proposition to reenact the Chinese exclusion act.

HERO GOES INSANE.

ONE OF MERRIMAC CREW.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

VALLEJO, Nov. 27.—Among a number of the insane taken to the hospital at Ukiah from the Mare Island navy yard was Warrant Officer Osborne Diegnan, who was with Hobson on the Merrimac in the Spanish-American War. Diegnan was recently assigned to Mare Island, but served only a few days before being placed on the sick list.

EARTHQUAKE BLAMED.

SEA WALL SINKING.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

VALLEJO, Nov. 27.—A bulge in the navy-yard sea wall opposite the general storehouse has been discovered. Investigation developed that for 100 feet it is gradually sinking. The sea wall will be rebuilt. It is thought that the earthquake of March, 1898, is responsible for the present trouble.

FRED ALLEN DIES.

HANKEL EXONERATED.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SANTA ROSA, Nov. 27.—Fred Allen, the young man shot by Officer Hankel on Monday night, died at the County Hospital today. The Coroner's jury exonerated Hankel, who is now confined to his bed with a bad wound in his left leg just below the groin, where he was shot by Allen.

BRIEF COAST DISPATCHES.

Newman Held for Trial.

SAN JOSE, Nov. 27.—Frank Newman, the young San Franciscan who shot Magnus C. Arps near Guadaloupe a few weeks ago, was held to answer today on a charge of assault for the purpose of committing robbery. Arps told his story to the court. He said he was shot twice without provocation, and that robbery followed the shooting. In default of $10,000 bail Newman was committed to jail.

Earle Makes an Assignment.

VICTORIA (B. C.) Nov. 27.—Thomas Earle, member of the Dominion House of Commons, and one of Victoria's leading wholesale grocers, has made an assignment for the benefit of his creditors.

Three Men Injured.

OAKLAND, Nov. 27.—Three men were painfully injured this morning by the falling of a boring shaft which a force of workmen were putting into the hold of the new steamer Ramona at Dickey's shipyard. The injured men are Patrick Smith, a laborer, whose left leg was broken in two places; Fred Cotton, maritime engineer, whose foot was crushed, and Patrick Dent, whose legs were badly hurt.

Held for an Old Offense.

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Nov. 27.—Hayes Alexander, alias H. H. Martin, Logan Alexander and Clinton Alexander, three bothers, were arrested today on suspicion of passing forged checks a few days ago. They were not identified as the men wanted for that crime, but Hayes Alexander proved to be a man wanted here for burglary over a year ago, and is believed to be also a fugitive from justice in Ventura.

The Shanghai correspondent of the London Times says a specific tariff on textiles which represents 60 per cent. of the total imports is now in force.

STEEL TRUST'S BIG PROFITS.

Morgan Pays Back Twenty-five Millions and Has More Left.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] J. Pierpont Morgan today paid back to a member of the steel trust underwriting syndicate $25,000,000, which was every cent that was paid in to float the steel-trust stocks. Morgan's personal profit for putting the stocks on the market is said in Wall street to have been very large, amounting to millions. It is said also that a much larger sum, declared by Wall street men to be as great as $40,000,000, remains in the hands of Morgan as the profit of the syndicate. This syndicate was organized last spring. Its members agreed to pay $200,000,000 if called on to do so. One assessment of 12½ per cent. was made. The stock was taken by the public so readily that no more money was needed.

About $50,000,000 in par value of stock was turned over to the syndicate as its reward. This stock was evenly divided between common and preferred. It was sold at high prices, it is said, and in addition, the syndicate made a very large sum in buying the stock when it was raided and selling it after high prices had been reached. Wall street says that the syndicate does not today own one share of steel stock, but its huge profits are ready to support the steel stocks should any attempt be made to raid them.

Morgan is said to have no share in the millions in his hand as syndicate manager, but it is said he will receive 25 per cent. of whatever profit may be made by the use of the money. The syndicate will not be dissolved until next July.

James R. Keene said today that the earnings of the steel corporation are so large that, before the end of its fiscal year, it will have $53,000,000 working capital. Its net profits for October, about $25,000,000, does not increase the amount of available capital in Wall street, because this money has always, while in the hands of Morgan, been available for call loans.

SPORTING RECORD.

BRITISH COIN TO BE HAD.

Proposal for Jeffries and Fitzsimmons.

Can Fight at National Club Derby Night.

Philadelphia Dog Show—Sale of Directum—Favorites Win at Oakland.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The announcement that the National Sporting Club of London is ready to arrange a match between Jeffries and Fitzsimmons was discussed by the sports today. The impression prevails that the foreign club may secure the bout, which would no doubt be a big event on the other side of the water. It is not known just how much the club will give the men for ten rounds, but it is thought the purse will not be less than $10,000. While this may not seem to be a large enough sum, both fighters could make twice that amount appearing at music halls in England before the fight is held, on the strength of their prospective fight.

Dr. Ordway, the former representative of the National Sporting Club of London, who was notified by Matchmaker Bettinson of the English organization to make an offer for a ten-round bout to be held Derby night, next June, said today that he will leave for the other side next Tuesday. Ordway is going on private business, but will have a talk with Bettinson about the intended encounter. He expects to return in four weeks.

Ordway today wrote to both Jeffries and Fitzsimmons relative to the National Club's offer, and hopes to hear from the big "scrappers" before he leaves for England.

FIGHT IN THE NUTMEG.

M'GOVERN STILL CONFIDENT.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

HARTFORD (Ct.) Nov. 27.—The fight for the featherweight championship of the world between Terry McGovern of Brooklyn, the present holder of the title, and Billy Rothwell, better known as "Young Corbett" of Denver, which is to take place tomorrow afternoon before the Nutmeg Athletic Club, has caused an unusual stir in this city. When the trains reached the Hartford station the sporting men from Boston and New York, as well as many from southern and western points, leaped from them and scurried for the accommodations in the hotels in the vicinity.

So many excellent reports of the fitness of "Young Corbett" have been current that opinions of staunch adherents of the champion have been slightly shaken. None of the New York contingent here has yet shown any weakness in this respect, however, and many of them are flashing money on the McGovern side with very weak response from the opposite camp. That the contestants are pretty evenly matched as to height, girth and age, there is no question.

When seen at his quarters this evening "Young Corbett" was enjoying a supper which was large enough to satisfy the appetite of a hard-worked farmhand. He looked like a mild-mannered student just enjoying a brief vacation, and showed no signs of nervousness.

"I feel fine," he said. "I am away below the limit, or I would not be eating so heartily. I will weigh in all right at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning. I am not underrating my opponent when I say that I believe I will win. I will go to bed at 9 o'clock, as I always read myself to sleep."

Terry McGoveren, with his manager, Sam Harris, and a retinue of trainers and rubbers, arrived here from New York at 10:30 o'clock tonight. They were accompanied by a host of New York sporting men, who ran around the neighborhood with wads of bills in their hands looking for "Corbett" money.

"Two to one on McGovern," was their cry, but there was no response.

McGovern got away from his party very quickly, and was soon in his apartments at a hotel, where he will spend the remainder of the time between now and 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, when he will be called to the ringside. In a hurried conversation he said: "I am in perfect shape. I am not worrying about all the reports of Corbett's fitness. Let him be good and fit. I will be the same. There will be no trouble; you will see a good fight, and I know I will be the winner."

SALE OF DIRECTUM.

FAMOUS STALLION LAME.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—Directum, at one time champion trotting stallion, with a record of 2:05¼, was bought at the Fasig-Tipton sale today by the International Stock Farm of Minneapolis for $12,100. When the horse was brought into the ring he was walked around for a few minutes, and it was noticed that he showed signs of lameness. The first bid was from John E. Madden, who offered $4000. Carl Burr jumped it to $5000. Madden increased the bid and stayed until after the $9000 mark was reached. Two unknown bidders then took a hand, as did M. H. Savage for the International Stock Farm. The bidding continued by $100 bids to $12,000, and then an extra $100 secured the animal for Savage. The high prices were:

Directum, blk. s., 12, 2:05¼, by Director, 2:19; Stem Winder, by Venturer, to International Stock Farm, Minneapolis, $12,100.

Adbell, blk. s., 2:23, by Advertiser-Beautiful Bells, to J. S. Madden, Lexington, Ky., $10,000.

Directum Spear, b. s., by Directum-Campan, Elmhurst Farm, Lexington, $6000.

Live-bird Shooting.

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Nov. 27.—The second day of the Arizona Gun Club tournament was devoted to live-bird shooting, and was very entertaining. J. H. Holmes of Chloride, and J. Graham of Phoenix, tied on individual shooting. Both made 100 per cent. They will shoot it off tomorrow. All the scores were unusually good.

Challenge not Accepted.

BERKELEY, Nov. 27.—The University of Michigan football eleven, the champions of the Middle West, have sent a challenge to the University of California, for a game on the Pacific Coast during the holidays. The offer will be declined by the Berkeley men, who do not wish to resume training.

Famous Doctor Urges Pyramid Pile Cure.

Dr. Williams, a prominent official surgeon, says: "It is the duty of every surgeon to avoid an operation if possible to cure in any other way, and after many trials with Pyramid Pile Cure I unhesitatingly recommend it in preference to an operation." For sale by all druggists. Little book, "Piles, Causes and Cure," mailed free. Pyramid Drug Co., Marshall, Mich.

FOUR FAVORITES FINISH FIRST AT OAKLAND.

FLYING HANDICAP WON BY MEEHANUS FROM SOMBRERO.

Lodestar and Herculean Engage in Stirring Finish in the Last Race—Mounce and J. Woods Each Ride Two Winners—Nineteen Books in Line.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 27.—Favorites finally had an inning at Oakland today, four of them getting home in front.

The flying handicap, which was the feature of the card, resulted in a victory for Meehanus, the favorite. Sombrero was probably the best, and he finished a good second after being shut off twice. Lodestar and Herculean engaged in a stirring finish in the last race, Spencer gaining the verdict for the former. The track was still heavy, and slow time was made. Mounce and J. Woods each rode two winners. Nineteen books were in line, an increase of three. Summary:

Five furlongs, selling: Botany, 110 (J. Woods,) 3 to 1, won. Marello, 110 (Mounce,) 8 to 1, second, Bendara, 113 (J. Mathews,) 40 to 1, third; time 1:04. Prestano, Mintaka, The Maniac, Cathello and Robert Bonner II also ran.

Six furlongs, selling: Hungarian, 111 (Mounce,) 11 to 5, won, Midnight Chimes, 109 (Winslette,) 7 to 2, second, King Dellea, 112 (J. Woods,) 6 to 1, third; time 1:16. Starchlight, Courtier, Gibraltar, Young Morello, Elmer L. and On Time, also ran.

Mile, selling: El Oriente, 100 (Ransom,) even, won, Tony Lepping, 103 (Winslette,) 11 to 1, second, Nellie Forest, 100 (O'Neill,) 13 to 5, third; time 1:47⅘. Ringmaster and Joe Hock also ran.

Seven furlongs purse: Miss Mae Day, 109 (Mounce,) 9 to 10, won, Maresa, 105 (J. Mathews,) 7 to 5, second, Sylvan Lass, 109 (Prior,) 9 to 2, third; time 1:33. Three starters.

Flying handicap, five and one-half furlongs: Meehanus, 110 (J. Woods,) 7 to 5, won, Sombrero, 107 (O'Neill,) 3 to 1, second, Hilee, 101 (J. Mathews,) 20 to 1, third; time 1:09¼. Frank Bell, Invictus and Siarando also ran.

One mile and 100 yards, selling: Lodestar, 114 (Spencer,) 7 to 2, won; Herculean, 109 (Bullman,) 11 to 5, second, Bonnie Lissak, 100 (Birkenruth,) 2½ to 1, third; time 1:52⅘. Castake, Koenig and Billy Lyons also ran.

HALF A MILLION FOR HOPE DIAMOND.

PRICE ASKED FOR THE PRECIOUS STONE BY ITS OWNER.

New York Millionaire Offered Three Hundred and Fifty Thousand, but Frankel Only Laughed—Alfred G. Vanderbilt May Buy it for His Wife.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Half a million dollars is the price placed on the famous Hope diamond, now in this country, by its present owner, Simon Frankel. According to Frankel's declaration, when offered $350,000 for the gem by Emanuel M. Gattle of the diamond firm of Gattle & Stern, the wonderful blue gem will not be sold for a penny less.

"I have a client, a member of fashionable society in New York and the wife of a millionaire, who is determined to possess the diamond," said Gattle today. "I was commissioned by her husband to offer $350,000 for the stone, and in order to be the first to bid on it, I went down the bay in the revenue cutter yesterday to meet the Kronprinz William.

"Frankel and I did not waste any time in preliminaries. When I saw him I asked: 'Did you bring the Hope Diamond with you?'

"'Yes,' he replied.

"'I will give you $350,000 for it.'

"Frankel laughed. 'The stone is worth half a million,' he said, 'and that is the price I expect to get for it.'"

It is reported that Alfred G. Vanderbilt is determined to have the stone as a Christmas gift for his wife, who has just presented him with an heir.

EASY FOR BALIET.

Witnesses Testify to the Help They Gave the Mining Promoter to Get Rich Without Working.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

DES MOINES (Iowa) Nov. 27.—The first testimony was introduced this morning in the case wherein Letson Baliet of Baker City, Or., is accused of using the mails fraudulently.

Thirty exhibits were introduced, mainly circulars and letters bearing Baliet's name, sent through the mail, advertising the White Swan mine. Investors testified to sending in small sums ranging up to $200 for stock in the mine, receiving therefor certificates of stock and an annual pass on a Baliet railroad. All the witnesses testified to the fact that they paid no dividends in return for their investments.

ADVOCATES OF ASSASSINATION.

ROME, Nov. 28.—At the assembling of the Italian Chamber of Deputies yesterday, no reference was made to the death of President McKinley because the Radical and Socialist members of the Chamber had threatened to speak apologetically of Czolgosz, and the government preferred to avoid any unpleasantness.

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[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

DETROIT (Mich.) Nov. 27.—At noon today the men who are searching the ruins of the Penberthy Injector Company's plant, which was wrecked yesterday by a boiler explosion, still had before them a pile of débris about 40x80 feet which had not been hauled over. It is expected that in some of this wreckage some of the ten employés not yet accounted for, will be found. The corrected list of known dead numbers twenty-nine. Following are the names:

LOUIS A HENNING, aged 33, married.
PATRICK MALLOY, married.
CHARLES MARVIN, aged 24.
JACOB KOEBET.
CHARLES A. LYDY, aged 24.
A. E. MILLER, aged 20.
A. E. HOFFMAN, aged 28.
ED BURCH, aged 17.
EUGENE BERTRAM, aged 14.
STEPHEN CRISP, aged 14.
BRANEY MIOLUE.
GEORGE SCHOENER.
CHRISTOPHER WALDMAN.
ROBERT CREER.
JOSEPH B. COFFEY, aged 17.
JOHN FREY.
GEORGE DOWIES.
ADOLPH KNAPP.
JOSEPH KOZAK.
WALTER IDE.
FRANK THOMAS.
RICHARD BRYAN.
JOHN SCHAEBLE.
DOUGLASS DICKSON, a boy.
WILLIAM EGGERS, a boy.
PETER DOLL.
IGNACIUS BROOK.

A body which has been partially identified as Thomas J. Mullane.

At 12:25 o'clock this afternoon another body was recovered, making the total number of known dead twenty-nine.

Of the dead twenty-three were dug out of the ruins, burned and blackened corpses, and the other six died in the hospital from their injuries. All the injured were reported on the road to recovery today, except John Klinowitz, who is suffering from a fractured skull. Engineer Reilly's recovery is now considered certain.

By order of Prosecuting Attorney Hunt the police have taken charge of the boilers at the wreck, and will permit no one to handle them until an inspection of them is made by the authorities. It is likely that Prof. Cooley of the University of Michigan will be called on to conduct the examination of the boilers. Many theories are advanced as to the cause of the explosion. It is the most commonly accepted one that some latent physical defect in the boiler was the cause.

Already over $600 has been raised for the families of the victims, and subscriptions are rapidly coming in.

The Penberthy Injector Company carried $35,000 insurance, and President Johnson said today that this would cover the company's loss.

FENCE TRUST FORMING.

OMAHA (Neb.) Nov. 27.—A combination to control the anchor-wire-fence business of the territory west of the Mississippi River is forming, with John W. Gates as its probable president. The headquarters of the concern will be in this city. It will be known as the Western Anchor Wire Fence Company. The concern has already bought the large anchor-fence plant in this city, two in Texas and one in Denver, and has an option on another at Portland, Or.

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WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—In addition to extracts from the annual report of Secretary Hitchcock of the Interior Department heretofore printed, the Secretary has the following to say in addition to Indian affairs:

"The total Indian population of the United States, exclusive of the New York Indians and those in the Indian Territory embraced in what is generally known as the Five Civilized Tribes, is approximately 178,919; they are located on 156 reservations in various portions of the country, containing about 56,127,000 acres. During the past year 8857 allotments have been made, covering an approximate acreage of 1,318,970.80 acres. Allotments of land in severalty, embracing in the aggregate 7,303,475.11 acres, have been made since the passage of the act of February 8, 1887 (24 Stats., 388,) to approximately 64,853 Indians.

"The general condition among the Indians during the year has been fairly satisfactory. Aside from the disturbance created in the Indian Territory by certain full-blood Creek Indians, known as the Snake band, which was easily suppressed, no serious troubles have occurred. Some progress toward civilization has been made, but not in such degree as the efforts put forth by the Government for the betterment of their condition and the large expenditure of money for their comfort and enlightenment would seem to justify. . . . It was stated in my last annual report that 'The Indian school system does not contemplate giving the Indian what is known as a "higher education."' While this is true in the abstract, the system in vogue, especially in the non-reservation schools, and even in some of those upon reservations, seems to be gradually growing into one that is leading up to the higher branches of education, thus unfitting the Indian for home life with his tribe upon the reservation after his course is completed, and it is seriously questioned whether the present method is calculated to accomplish the good results hoped for. I am not very much, and for some time have been of the opinion that too much attention is paid to branches outside of those necessary to give the Indian pupil a common-school education. I am confirmed in my opinion that the curriculum should be restricted to the common-school course, because of facts that have been brought to my attention by the Commissioner of Indian Affairs in his annual report.

"Industrial training should and will be inaugurated in both the non-reservation and reservation boarding schools, where not already established, to consist of carpentry, blacksmithing, harness, shoe and wagon-making, and such other industries or trades as males may be adapted to, and females ought to be trained especially in laundering, cooking, tailoring, dressmaking and the arts of housekeeping, to which more than ordinary attention should be paid. With this knowledge as a foundation, the Indian youth would be fully as well, if not better, equipped for the battle of life than are a large majority of the sons and daughters of those who people the sections where the Indians are located, and the foundation for whose education is laid in the district or common schools for the neighborhood, where eventually the Indians themselves must necessarily seek the knowledge that they are now getting through the munificence of the government."

Satisfactory progress has been made in the surveying and laying out of town sites under the provisions of the Curtis act, and also the Indian appropriation act of May 31, 1900, which contains the provision that "the Secretary of the Interior is hereby authorized, under rules and regulations to be prescribed by him, to survey, lay out, and plat into town lots, streets, alleys, and parks the sites of such towns and villages in the Choctaw, Chickasaw, Creek, and Cherokee nations as may at that time have a population of two hundred or more, in such manner as will best subserve the then present needs and the reasonable prospective growth of such towns."

There are also certain other provisions in the act authorizing the Secretary of the Interior, upon the recommendation of the commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, to set aside new town sites along the lines of railroads which shall be constructed or in process of construction through the Territory, and also to authorize the surveying and platting of town sites by contract, and to grant the permission to the authorities of any town to survey and plat its own town site at the expense of the town, subject to the supervision and approval of the department. Under said provisions relative to reserving land for town-site purposes along the lines of railroads the department has segregated during the year town sites at eight stations in the Creek Nation and ten in the Chickasaw Nation, along the line of the St. Louis, Oklahoma and Southern Railway, which extends from Sapula, Creek Nation, to Denison, Tex. The names of the towns in the various nations whose exterior limits have been established are given, showing twenty-five in the Choctaw Nation, forty-two in the Chickasaw Nation, eight in the Creek Nation, and twenty-nine in the Cherokee Nation, and one town in each of the Choctaw and Chickasaw nations whose exterior limits are yet to be fixed.

The cost of surveying and platting town sites has been, on an average, about $3.50 per acre, and the expense per acre in the future will probably be less on account of the experience which the surveying parties have had. The efforts on the part of towns to survey and plat their own town sites, under the provisions of the act of May 31, 1900, have not been satisfactory, and the work has had to be done over again by the government officers.

Attention is called to the difficulty of collecting the tribal revenues of the respective nations on account of the refusal of the non-citizens to pay the taxes in accordance with the tribal laws and the regulations of this department. The revenues of the Choctaw and Chickasaw nations are collected by the tribal authorities, except the royalties on coal and asphalt and for timber cut for railroads and mines. The department has been requested by the chief executives of said nations from time to time to remove persons refusing to pay the tribal taxes under the provisions of sections 2147 to 2150, inclusive, Revised Statutes, and such persons have been removed.

The revenues in the Creek Nation are collected and disbursed by the United States authorities, and the right to collect such taxes has been sustained by the judicial tribunals of the Territory and the United States Court of Appeals. The total amount of revenue collected from all sources in the Creek Nation during the past year is $30,827.60. The expenses of the United States revenue inspector, which are paid from said sum, were $4230.80, and exchange was $52.32, leaving $26,544.46 to the credit of the nation.

In the Cherokee Nation no revenue has been collected from Cherokee citizens, carrying on a mercantile business in said nation on account of the decision in the United States Court enjoining officials from collecting said tax. The total amount of revenue collected for the Cherokee Nation is $19,392.65; the expenses of the revenue inspector for said nation, which are also paid from the amount collected, are $4038.34, which, with $37.13 paid for exchange, leaves a net balance of $15,317.18 to the credit of the nation, a net increase of $1696.14 over the amount collected for the previous year.

In the Chickasaw Nation, the schools have been maintained from the funds other than the royalties on coal and asphalt. April 11, 1901, an agreement was made with the tribal authorities whereby the funds that have accrued from the royalties on coal and asphalt should be applied to the indebtedness incurred on account of the support of the schools.

The Zuni Pueblo grant, New Mexico, has been occupied by the Zunis for more than two hundred years. All the title papers were accidentally destroyed by a fire a few years ago. A bill to confirm title to them was introduced in the Congress, February 16, 1900, but failed to become a law. The matter is urgently recommended to the favor of Congress.

Secretary Hitchcock refers to the Mission Indians on Warner's ranch, as follows: "By a decree of the Supreme Court of the United States, an adverse decision was rendered on a claim of some Mission Indians to retain occupancy of a tract in Southern California, known as Warner's ranch, or Agua Caliente. The effect thereof will be to render homeless about two hundred Indians who claim to have held these lands for generations. In the mean time, pending action by the next Congress, and as a temporary expedient, certain lands in the vicinity were withdrawn from settlement and entry for the use of the Indians. It has since been ascertained that the lands which are practically worthless, and that such as might be available would support but a few families. Therefore, an Indian inspector is under orders to proceed to California to endeavor to locate and arrange to secure suitable lands for these Indians."

The work of many of the pupils of both the reservation and non-reservation, as well as day schools, was placed on exhibition at the Pan-American Exposition, Buffalo, and showed decided improvement over that furnished for previous expositions. Twenty-two tracts of land, from one-half acre to 160 acres in size, on nine reservations, were set apart during the year for educational and religious work among the Indians.

LANDS.

There were disposed of during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1901, public lands aggregating 15,562,794.30 acres, classified as follows: Cash sales, 1,901,-668.94 acres; miscellaneous entries, embracing homesteads, land warrants, scrip locations, State selections, swamp lands, railroad and wagon road selections, Indian allotments, etc., 14,151,780.34 acres, and Indian lands, 109,347.02 acres, showing an increase of 2,108,908.34 acres, as compared with the aggregate disposals for the preceding fiscal year. The total cash receipts during the fiscal year from various sources, including disposal of public land, $4,307,437.15, and Indian land, $585,461.27; from depredations on public lands, $56,471.63; from sales of timber of forest reserves, $26,305.95; from sales of government property, $597.78, and for furnishing copies of records and plats, $16,686.51; aggregate, $4,972,160.79, an increase of $592,402.69 over the preceding fiscal year.

The total expenses of district land offices for salaries and commissions of registers and receivers, incidental expenses, and expending public moneys during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1901, were $773,617.99, an increase, as compared with the fiscal year ended June 30, 1900, of $46,036.01. The net surplus remaining in the treasury at the end of the fiscal year, after deducting from the total cash receipts the entire amount expended for the administration of the public land and forestry systems, equaled $3,158,441.67, an increase over the surplus remaining at the end of the preceding fiscal year of $515,598.31. Attention is also directed to the fact that the cash receipts from depredations on the public lands, compromises, fines, etc., amounted, during the fiscal year, to $261,573.84, an increase over the preceding fiscal year of $25,-538.59.

The total area of the public lands may be stated to be approximately 1,809,539,840 acres, of which 914,096,974 acres are undisposed of, 147,356,902 acres have been reserved for various purposes, and 748,085,964 acres have been appropriated.

There were issued 42,237 patents for agricultural lands during the fiscal year, containing approximately 6,757,-920 acres, an increase of 12,689 in number and 2,030,240 in acreage over the previous year. Of mineral and mill-site patents, 1358 were issued, embracing an area of 50,854,455 acres, a decrease from the former year of 27 patents and an increase of 8,459,934 acres. One hundred and four coal patents were issued, embracing 12,060.87 acres, an increase over the previous year of 25 patents and 2,911.71 acres.

During the fiscal year there have been certified or patented on account of railroad grants 2,470,894.55 acres, as against an area patented during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1900, of 1,-277,572.58 acres, an increase of 1,193,-231.87 acres. There were patented under wagon-road grants 165,547.18 acres, an increase of 104,045.56 acres over the preceding year. The report of the commissioner shows that material progress has been made in the examinations necessary to the adjustment of railroad land grants.

There were patented as swamp land in places 215,943.86 acres, and as swamp-land indemnity lands 3,219.83 acres, a total of 219,263.69 acres, an increase over the amount patented during the last fiscal year of 119,930.70 acres. School and other lands were selected and certified during the year under their several grants to the various States and Territories to the amount of 1,243,519.92 acres, an increase of 471,310.47 acres over the preceding year. Indian and miscellaneous patents were issued during the year to the amount of 448,536.40 acres, an increase over the preceding fiscal year of 106,-005.14 acres. The total net increase in lands patented over the preceding fiscal year is 4,036,155.48 acres.

As State desert-land and segregations two patents were issued to the State of Wyoming, aggregating 7,-205.75 acres. Lists were approved as follows: State of Idaho, one, 6,823.05 acres; State of Wyoming, one, aggregating 77,188.74 acres. Three non-mineral entries for lands in Alaska have been patented during the last fiscal year.

RIGHTS OF WAY.

Under the act of March 3, 1875, providing for rights of way over public lands, the act of May 14, 1896, providing for rights of way in Alaska, and various special acts, 38 articles of incorporation were accepted, 478 maps of locations of railroads were received during the year, of which 113 were approved, 14 filed (not requiring approval;) 4 were pending at the end of the fiscal year before the Secretary of the Interior, and 216 had been otherwise disposed of, a few of which were rejected and the rest returned for correction.

Forty rights of way have been approved during the year for canals and reservoirs. Three hundred and twenty-four maps of the line or route of canals or sites for reservoirs were presented during the year; 60 were approved; 16 were filed which did not require approval; 191 were otherwise disposed of, being principally returned for correction, making, with 36 pending at the beginning of the year, a total of 93 awaiting action by the commissioner or Secretary. Under the act of May 21, 1896, granting right of way for pipe lines for the transportation of oil in the States of Colorado and Wyoming, no applications were received during the past year.

Surveys of lands were accepted during the year, among other instances, as follows: California, 54,288 acres; Arizona, 715,201; Nevada, 51,350; Utah, 535,721.

"After carefully considering all the facts and estimating future probabilities, the Commissioner of the Land Office, Secretary Hitchcock says, is of the opinion that both the Yukon and Circle districts should be abolished, their territory added to the Sitka district, and their offices consolidated with the Sitka office at least for the present, and until such time as there shall appear some real necessity for an office in the Yukon country.

OIL FIELDS AND LIEU SELECTIONS.

"In my last annual report," says the Secretary, "I set forth the conditions developed by the discovery of petroleum in Southern California, and of the action of this department in withdrawing a number of townships in Southern California until the character of the lands could be investigated. There has been no abatement in the exploration for oil in California, and prospectors have been active in other localities, notably in Wyoming and Colorado. The suspensions heretofore made of townships said to contain valuable deposits of oil from disposition under the agricultural laws and the examination of the lands by special agents have allayed to some extent the excitement theretofore existing, caused by the supposed appropriation of these lands by lieu scrippers. These suspensions have been continued through the year, and must continue until relief is obtained through legislation, the mining laws and regulations being inadequate to protect the bone-fide prospectors who are spending their time and money in exploring for oil.

"On May 3, 1901, I reported on two bills that were introduced in Congress, which proposed to allow locators of mining claims alleged to be valuable for petroleum deposits:

"Three months from and after the marking of their claims on the ground within which to begin work for the purpose of completing discovery, and such discovery, when made while working the claim with reasonable diligence, shall relate back and have effect nunc pro tunc, as though made before or at the time of marking the claim on the ground.'

"I recommended the passage of those bills, subject to the modification that the work of discovery should be completed within twelve months from date of location. I desire now to renew that recommendation, as I believe some such legislation necessary for the adequate protection of oil lands and the stimulation of the oil industry."

PROTECTION OF PUBLIC LANDS.

It appears that during the year there was an average of about sixty special agents employed in the investigation of fraudulent land entries, and in otherwise protecting the public lands from illegal appropriation and timber trespass; that 1086 cases were referred to them for investigation, hearings were ordered in 124 cases, 1137 entries were held for cancellation, 741 were canceled, and 680 were examined and passed. Final action was taken on 1631 cases, and there are now pending 2944 cases. There are also pending in the General Land Office 187 agents' reports on land claims, 51 records of hearings, and 238 registers' and receivers' reports and miscellaneous letters.

There were 548 cases of depredations upon public timber reported during the year, involving public timber and products therefrom to the value of $1,464,-214.89, recoverable to the government. One hundred and fifteen civil suits were recommended, involving an aggregate of $731,179.63; 86 propositions of settlement were accepted, involving $29,209.30, and less were made of timber which had been cut unlawfully from public lands involving $4291.53. There were also 188 criminal suits recommended. There was received from compromises effected under section 3460, United States Revised Statutes, $12,-573.54. In addition, the amount involved in fines imposed and judgments rendered is $214,508.47, making a total of $261,573.84, an increase of $25,538.59 over the preceding year, June 30, 1901, there were pending in the United States courts 122 civil suits for the recovery of a total amount of $1,916,914.70, the alleged value of the timber involved, and 308 criminal prosecutions for cutting and removing timber in violation of law.

The recommendations made by the General Land Office and by the department in previous years for needed legislation compelling the attendance of witnesses at hearings ordered on special agents' reports, before the local land officers, are renewed.

During the past year there were reported to the General Land Office 161 cases of unlawful fencing of public lands, embracing 2,487,657 acres. Thirty-four inclosures were reported as having been removed in compliance with notice requiring such action, embracing 227,440 acres; 127 cases were laid before the United States attorneys of the various States and Territories for action under act of February 25, 1885, embracing 2,260,217 acres. In addition to the unlawful inclosures, special agents reported during the year four drift-fence cases; two in New Mexico, which are pending further action, and two in Oklahoma, in which the fences were removed in compliance with notice to the owners.

TIMBER ON UNRESERVED LANDS.

For several years the department has been urging the enactment of legislation to regulate the sale and use of timber on the unappropriated and unreserved public lands. The experience of this department has been that the act of June 3, 1878, which authorizes residents of certain States and Territories therein named to cut and remove for building, agricultural, mining, and other domestic purposes, any timber growing on mineral lands, under rules and regulations prescribed by the Secretary of the Interior, and the act of March 3, 1891, as extended by the acts of February 12, 1893, and March 3, 1901, authorizing the residents of the States and Territories therein named to take timber from non-mineral public lands in such States and Territories for use therein for agricultural, mining, manufacturing, or domestic purposes, under rules and regulations prescribed by the Secretary of the Interior, and the act of June 3, 1878, known as the timber and stone act, will, if not repealed or radically amended, says the Secretary, result ultimately in the complete destruction of the timber on the unappropriated and unreserved public lands.

FOREST RESERVES.

Concerning the care of forests, the Secretary says:

"The irrigators of the West have been specially active in urging the necessity of complete protection of the forests from fire and other destructive agencies and in asking that the reserves be extended to include all areas of public land from which issue streams of importance as sources of water supply. The extreme drought in many parts of the country during the past year has seriously diminished the flow of mountain streams. Together with the deplorable scarcity of water in portions of the West during the three preceding years, it has called public attention as never before to the vital necessity of forest preservation and reforestation. Whatever tends in any degree to reduce the vast losses which have been sustained by the agricultural interests is of vital importance to the farming communities. It is urged by them not only that the forests should be protected for their effect upon water supply, but that the government should take the steps necessary to hold and save the waters which alone give value to drought-stricken lands. Congress years ago moved in this direction by authorising the segregation of reservoir sites, the most important of which are near the headwaters of streams within the forest reserves.

"The time has arrived when these reservoirs must be built and managed as part of a national system of forest and water conservation. They cannot be successfully maintained without a thorough system of forest protection, for reservoirs whose drainage basins are not protected by forest lie open to the danger of being transformed by the washing of the soil from reservoirs of water to reservoirs of silt. To give to the people of the West the full benefits which the forest reserves are capable of yielding, two things are necessary. First, the demand for more reserves should be met by the careful extension of the reserved area in accordance with the results of careful study on the ground, and, second, there should be a thoroughly practical and efficient administration of the reserves and the resources they contain. In order to secure practical treatment and better protection for the forest reserves, and, above all, to bring about prompter and more effective use of their resources for the good of the people, the administration of them, while it remains in the Interior Department, will be carefully supervised and conducted by the Secretary himself.

"Forestry is a business which cannot proceed without skilled men with a practical knowledge of the best ways of handling and protecting forests. As with lumbering, its success depends on work in the field, and especially upon intimate knowledge of local conditions and requirements. It is of the first importance to employ in the forest service men of high local reputation for character, ability and knowledge of the woods, in addition to such practical trained experts as may be available. Men thoroughly versed in lumbering and woodcraft are essential.

"The time for the introduction of practical forestry on the forest reserves has fully come. States and private owners of forest land are already coöperating with the government for the better handling of their holdings to the extent of more than five million acres. Some of the forest reserves are not less favorably situated for practical forestry than the best of those lands, and it is of the first importance both to the interests of the forest and to the interests of the West to give the reserves the best practical treatment without delay. It was found necessary about two years ago to apply to the Agricultural Department for working plans for conservative lumbering on the reserves and for reports upon all subjects requiring special knowledge of the forestry except the mapping of the forests, now thoroughly well done by the Geological Survey.

"The keynote of the administration of the forest reserves should be to increase the value of the reserves to the public and to perpetuate their forests by wise use. The utility of the reserves to the agricultural, mining, grazing and lumber interests of the regions in which they lie is so great, so generally recognised, and so rapidly on the increase that to give them any form of management but the best available is a most serious blow to the prosperity of the West. Workmanlike administration of the forest reserves means protection through them to all the interests which depend upon them.

"Forestry, dealing as it does with a source of wealth produced by the soil, is properly an agricultural subject. The presence of properly trained foresters in the Agricultural Department, as well as the nature of the subject itself, makes the ultimate transfer, if found to be practicable, of the administration of the forest reserves to that department essential to the best interests, both of the reserves and of the people who use them."

Since the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 1900, three new forest reserves have been created. The Crow Creek forest reserve, in Wyoming, created by proclamation of the President, dated October 10, 1900, embracing an area of 56,320 acres; the Wichita forest reserve, in Oklahoma, created by proclamation of the President, dated July 4, 1901, embracing an estimated area of 57,120 acres; and the Basin forest reserve, in Utah, created by proclamation of the President, dated August 3, 1901, embracing an estimated area of 86,400 acres.

By Executive order, dated June 29, 1901, 46,080 acres were eliminated from the Cascade range forest reserve, in Oregon, and by proclamation of the President, dated July 1, 1901, 142,080 acres were added to said reserve, making the net increase in the size of the reserve 96,000 acres. The following reserves were reduced in size: The Washington forest reserve, in Washington, by proclamation of the President, dated April 3, 1901; Big Horn forest reserve, in Wyoming, by Executive orders, dated April 15, 1901, and June 25, 1901; Olympic forest reserve, in Washington, by proclamation of the President, dated July 15, 1901. There are now forty-one forest reserves, created by Presidential proclamations, embracing an estimated area of 46,-419,209 acres.

During the past year not only has the acreage burned over in the reserves been greatly reduced over that of the preceding fiscal year, but the acreage per fire has been reduced nearly one-half. The patrol of the reserves was carried on by a force of rangers, which during the fiscal year was brought to the maximum during the fire season, of about five hundred, 478 of whom were on duty at one time. October 15, 1900, about four hundred and fifteen rangers were still on duty; the force was then rapidly reduced, so that a month later there were about two hundred and nine rangers, which number was still further reduced so that the maximum number during December, 1900, and January, February, March and April, 1901, was from 165 to 185, about one hundred of them being employed in the southern reserves. In May, 1901, the force was increased to 215 and in June to 250. The Secretary concurs in the recommendation that not less than the appropriation of $300,-000 for the forest service in connection with the creation and administration of forest reserves be continued for next year, with a possible increase in case additional lands are set aside as forest reservations.

Concerning sheep grazing in forest reserves the Secretary says: "I recognise fully the vast interests involved in the wool-growing industry, but I also recognise that the paramount question before the people of the West today, especially those in the arid regions, is how to properly conserve and protect the water supply so as to furnish a sufficient amount to answer all the demands for irrigating purposes, and the best solution that has yet been offered to that problem is the creation, the efficient patrolling and the proper administration of forest reserves. Under these circumstances I have adopted the policy of permitting sheep to graze in that portion of certain reserves where it is shown, after careful examination, that such grazing is in no way injurious to or preventive of the conservation of the water supply, and that policy it is my purpose to continue."

A rigid insistence on the use of dead timber to supply the demand wherever practicable has won for the system the commendation and support of thinking men, who appreciate the effort to minimise the use of living timber to save the dead timber, to realise its value, and to rid the forests of an undesirable element.

During the past two years the Secretary has been endeavoring to reach some arrangement with the owners of the odd-numbered sections adjoining the San Francisco Mountain forest reserves in Arizona that will enable him to recommend to the President such action as would effect the consolidation of said reserves. He says:

"Information received by the department led me to believe that a large portion of the remaining 754,000 acres which it was proposed to relinquish was in no sense timbered land and that the actual acreage of timbered lands that would be acquired by the government if said 750,000 acres were relinquished to it would not be great enough to warrant the government in making the exchange of lands under the terms of the proposition, nor great enough to aid materially in conserving the water supply. I therefore declined to proceed further in the matter or to ask the President to make such consolidation by proclamation, and I so advised the parties in interest."

PENSIONS AND PATENTS.

The annual value of the pension roll as it stood June 30, 1901, was $121,568,-216, an increase of $32,672 in the annual value of the roll from the year preceding. The average annual value of each pension on June 30, 1901, was $121.87, a slight decrease from the former year, caused by the death of pensioners who were in receipt of high rates of pensions, and by the reduced number of general-law pensioners.

The number of original applications for pension filed during the year was 58,373, which number includes 14,161 on account of service in the war with Spain. The total number of applications for army and navy pensions received in the Pension Bureau during the year was 215,616, of which number 117,986 were applications for increase.

The report of the Commissioner of Patents upon the business of the Patent Office for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1901, shows there were received during that year 42,683 applications for mechanical patents, 2388 applications for designs, 101 applications for reissues, 1509 caveats, 2212 applications for trade-marks, 1035 applications for labels and 176 applications for prints. There were 26,481 patents granted, including reissues and designs; 1826 trade-marks, 824 labels and 124 prints were registered. The number of patents that expired was 25,690. The number of allowed applications which were by operation of law forfeited for nonpayment of the final fee was 4258. The total receipts of the office were $1,406,-877.67; the total expenditures were $1,-288,970.13, and the surplus of receipts over expenditures, being the amount turned into the treasury, was $119,907.54. The volume of work of the Patent Office has reached unprecedented figures, and more clerical help is needed.

THE CENSUS.

The Director of the Twelfth Census reports that the work of tabulating the results of the field work of the enumerators and special agents of the Twelfth Census has progressed with reasonable celerity. Much difficulty has been experienced, however, and more or less delay caused by the reduction of the clerical force, owing to the absence of employés from either illness or annual leave. The cost of the Twelfth Census from November 1, 1900, to October 31, 1901, both dates inclusive, is $3,504,959.42. The estimated amount required for the expenses of the Twelfth Census for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1902, and ending June 30, 1903, is $1,972,120. The establishment of the census as a permanent bureau would undoubtedly be in the interest not only of economy and statistical science, but would result in more efficient work generally and permit of the early publication of the statistical data compiled.

GEOLOGICAL SURVEY.

The Secretary devotes considerable space to the Geological Survey, especially with reference to Alaska. He says that in Western Nevada and adjacent portions of California surveys have been made on the headwaters of Truckee and Carson rivers, to ascertain the extent to which water can be stored in the mountains for the reclamation of portions of the Nevada deserts. A number of feasible reservoir sites have been found, and it has been ascertained that large areas in Nevada can be reclaimed at reasonable cost. Other surveys have been made in the Sierra Nevada, on the headwaters of streams flowing into San Joaquin Valley, and a large amount of information has been brought together, in conformity with the wishes of Congress as expressed in the laws authorizing an investigation of the extent to which the arid lands can be redeemed by irrigation. The application of these facts has a practical bearing upon many industrial problems besides those of reclamation.

IRRIGATION.

One of the most interesting subdivisions of the whole report is that which treats of irrigation. It is given here in full:

"In my report for last year," says the Secretary, "attention was called to the importance of providing, through wise administration, for the creation of homes for millions of people upon the arid but fertile public lands. This matter is being given increased attention by the public press and by writers upon the subject, and at the last session of Congress hearings were held by the Committees on Public Lands and on Irrigation of Arid Lands of the House of Representatives. Briefly stated, the results of the examinations of the extent to which arid lands can be reclaimed by irrigation, made by the committees of Congress, show that while one-third of the United States is still vacant there are relatively few localities where homes can now be made. This is not because the soil is barren or infertile, but on account of the difficulty of securing an adequate water supply. There is water to be had, but this water is mainly in large rivers, from which it can be taken only by great structures, or the supply comes in sudden floods and cannot be utilized until great reservoirs have been built. It is impossible for a laboring man or an association of settlers to build these great works.

"The pioneer coming to the arid region found many small streams from which water could be taken out upon agricultural land. He was able through his own efforts to irrigate a small farm and to make it a home. These easily available waters have been taken, and a man can no longer secure a foothold, although there still remain 400,000,000 acres of vacant land. It is possible, by water storage and by building diversion works from great rivers, to bring water to points where such men can utilize it and can enjoy opportunities similar to those had by the earlier settlers. Unless this is done much of the country must remain barren, and thousands of men and women eager to become independent citizens must remain as wanderers or tenants of others.

"Enough work has been done by private capital to demonstrate the fact that water conservation and the diversion of large rivers are practicable, but, like many other works of great public importance, it cannot be made a source of profit. The works of reclamation already constructed have, as a rule, been unprofitable, and capitalists are no longer seeking opportunities for reclaiming desert land when the probabilities are against their receiving an adequate compensation for the risk and labor involved.

"The argument has been presented that if the government will not make it possible to bring water to these lands they should be turned over to the States, but the majority of citizens who have studied the subject are opposed to such action, on the ground that the vacant public lands are the heritage of the people of the United States and should be held for the creation of homes, and not made a subject of speculation, as has almost invariably been the case with lands donated to the States. The whole trend of enlightened public sentiment is in favor of an expansion of industries and commerce internally through wise action by the national government rather than attempting to get rid of the duties and opportunities of ownership by giving away this valuable property.

"Two distinct conditions are to be clearly distinguished in the problem of water conservation for the development of the West. On the one hand, there are localities where the agricultural lands along the rivers have been brought under irrigation and there is a demand for water to an extent far exceeding the supply, and where all of the flood water, though stored, would not suffice to satisfy the demands of the lands now partly tilled. The other contrasting condition is where there still remain vast bodies of public land for which water can be provided by means of reservoirs or by diversion from large rivers whose flow cannot be used. Here the construction of works of reclamation in no way affects lands now in private ownership. Between these two extremes are all varieties of intermediate conditions, but these may be arbitrarily classed with one or the other.

"In the first case, reservoirs, if constructed, must be treated in the same way in which other public works having to do with rivers and harbors are managed. The water conserved should be used to increase the flow of the stream during the season of drought, regulating the volume so that it can be utilized to the best advantage, according to the laws and customs prevailing in the locality. This is comparable to the conditions where the outlet of a harbor has been improved without reference to the benefits to the owners of the docks around the shores.

"Under the other condition, where there are unappropriated waters flowing to waste which can be brought within reach of public land, it is possible to make provisions such that the government can be reimbursed for the expenditure. The lands to be benefited by such works should be reserved for homestead entry only in small tracts, each being subject to the payment, before the title is finally passed, of a sum equivalent to the cost of storing or conserving the water, such payment to be made, if desired, in installments extending over a number of years. Water should be brought to the point where the settlers can, with their own labor or by coöperation, construct ditches and laterals to reclaim the desert land. The conditions in this case would be comparable to opening a rich tract of land hitherto reserved. The moment the government throws down the desert barrier, or announces its purpose of so doing, by making possible the obtaining of water, there will be an eager rush on the part of homeseekers. With the requirement of actual settlement and cultivation, to be followed by the payment of the cost of storing water, the speculative element will be eliminated, leaving the ground free to bona fide settlers.

"It is safe to predict from the recent struggles for homes upon the public domain that if it should be determined that the San Carlos dam, for example, is to be built by the government, every acre of vacant land to be supplied with water would be immediately taken in small tracts by men who would not only cultivate the ground when water is had, but in the meantime would be available as laborers in the construction of the works, and would ultimately refund to the government the cost of the undertaking. In this manner thousands of the best class of citizens in the country would be permanently located upon prosperous homes upon what is now a desert waste.

"It has been estimated that the western half of the United States would sustain a population as great as that of the whole country at present if the waters now unutilized were saved and employed in irrigating the ground. The first step in water conservation has been taken by Congress in giving authority for setting aside great areas of wooded land, largely for the beneficial influence which they exert upon the water supply. This should be followed by the construction, within the forest reserves, and elsewhere when practicable, of substantial dams impounding flood and waste waters.

"Underground waters may be had in some localities where it is not practicable to irrigate the surface by means of stored water. The conditions favorable for artesian wells are believed to exist in a number of desert areas, and it is probable that important sources of supply can be had by artesian wells. The division of hydrography has begun the systematic study of some of these places, and has prepared maps showing the depth beneath the surface of the water-bearing rocks. Such maps are invaluable in the development of the country. These can be prepared for the edges of the artesian basins, where the rocks are partly upturned, but far out from the mountains it is necessary to sink test wells. If these are properly located after thorough study of all the surrounding conditions, it may be possible to settle the question of artesian supplies and definitely outline the underground condition for hundreds of square miles of public land. Only by obtaining such information can the value of this and the practicability of settlement be made known. It is highly important, therefore, that a few such deep wells be drilled by the government upon desert land, for the purpose of demonstrating the possibility of reclamation. When it has been proved that water can be had, even at considerable depths, settlement will follow.

"There is no function within the power of the government higher than that of making possible the creation of prosperous homes. In his speech at Minneapolis, Mr. Roosevelt said: 'Throughout our history the success of the home-maker has been but another name for the upbuilding of the nation.' The remaining public lands are the heritage of the nation and should be held for homes, being reserved for actual settlers under the homestead act. The area to be taken by any one man should be reduced so that when water has been conserved by the government the homestead shall, in certain parts of the county, be limited to eighty or even forty acres.

ARIZONA FARMS.

"The investigations of the [illegible] ment experts have shown that, for example, in Arizona, where high-grade fruits are cultivated, a family of five can obtain a good living upon forty acres, or even twenty. In the warmer parts of the arid region, where semi-tropic crops are largely raised, the area should be made 160 acres.

"The water for irrigation should be distributed in conformity with the laws of the State and without interference with any vested rights which have already accrued. Where reservoirs and main-line canals are built by the national government to furnish water to the public lands, the administration should proceed in harmony with State laws, as would be the case with any other large land owner—the nation coöperating to accomplish a result of far-reaching benefit to the people.

"The expansion of our interior trade and commerce, through the settlement of the arid lands and the increase of population in the West, would benefit every class and section of our country in the same way that the settlement of the Ohio and Mississippi valleys has brought prosperity and wealth to the States east of the Alleghenies. The settlement of the vast arid region would farther to the west would benefit the whole eastern half of the United States by creating new home markets for eastern merchants, manufacturers and growers, and all manufactures would enormously increase local trade and would tend to relieve the congestion of our great centers of population, creating opportunities which would far to allay social discontent. It would promote industrial stability by giving to every man who wanted it a chance on the land. The rush for homes in Oklahoma testifies that there is a vast multitude of our people who will make great sacrifices to secure such homes.

"There need be no fear of overproduction of western products with which agriculture, since the Asiatic market was opened will absorb the surplus of the western farms. The chairman says there is also such that the staple products of the East cannot now go to the remote West, nor those of the West to the East, excepting in the case of certain articles from the tropic and dried fruits.

"The investigations which have been carried on demonstrate that, looking at the matter from all sides, there is no one question now before the people of the United States of greater importance than the conservation of the water supply and the reclamation of the arid lands of the West, and the settlement by men who will make homes and create communities. The appreciation of this condition is shown by the fact that both the great political parties inserted in their platforms articles calling attention to the necessity of national aid for the creation of homes on the public domain.

"In view of the facts above stated it is imperative to adopt at once a definite policy leading to the best use of the vast public domain. It is recommended that reservoirs be at once begun upon certain projects where the conditions are known to be such that beneficial results will follow. Out of the large number of localities examined, it is suggested that the following be considered, surveys, plans and estimates having been prepared:

"The San Carlos storage reservoir, Arizona, reclaiming 100,000 acres of more of public land at an estimated cost of $1,000,000.

"The construction of reservoirs in Sierra Nevadas in California for reclaiming desert lands in Nevada.

"The diversion of St. Mary River, the headwaters of Milk River, in Montana.

"It is further urged that the appropriation for continuing the survey and investigations by the division of hydrography be increased to [illegible]

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MINING AND MINERAL RESOURCES.

"The duties of this division of the Geological Survey have been enlarged. Examination of the conditions of occurrence of the precious metals has been begun. A list of the gold and silver mines of the United States is being compiled, supplemented by all obtainable information concerning the characteristics of each mine. During the next year statistics supplementary to those given in the report of the Director of the Mint will be collected and published. These figures will show the amount and value of the gold and silver produced in the United States, separating that produced at placer and that produced at deep mines. Cooperating with the division of economic geology, this division has investigated the conditions of occurrence of some important economic minerals, particularly asphaltum, petroleum, borax and salt, and has had prepared a series of eleven papers on the coal fields of the country, which will appear in part 3 of the twenty-second annual report of the survey. The value of the mineral products of the country in the calendar year 1900 exceeded $1,000,000,000, being an increase of nearly $160,000,000 over 1899 and eclipsing all records in our history. This value was almost equally divided between the metallic and the non-metallic substances. The increases were general throughout the different branches of the mineral industry.

EDUCATION.

Secretary Hitchcock reviews the reports of the commissioner of education and the Chief of the Division of Public Documents, both of which divisions accomplished a large amount of work during the year. The facts show a uniform consensus of public opinion throughtout the nation in favor of providing secondary education at public cost.

The number of teachers employed in the common schools is reported as follows: Male teachers, 127,529; female teachers, 293,759; total, 421,288. Number of schoolhouses, 247,321; value of school property, $538,624,754. Number of students in colleges and universities is given as follows: Preparatory, 47,658; collegiate, 77,085; graduate, 5179; total, 129,922. Total income of institutions, $39,836,488. Students in colleges and seminaries for women which confer degrees: Preparatory, 7487; collegiate, 15,467; graduate, 411; total, 23,365. In professional and allied schools, students, 69,234; graduates, 16,948. Medical students, 25,213; graduates, 5219. Enrollment in special schools (city evening schools, business schools, Indian schools, etc.) 534,551.

PORTO RICO.

The reports of the Governors of the Territories are reviewed at length, taking up much of the bulk of Secretary Hitchcock's report. Concerning Porto Rico, an interesting disclosure is made by the Commissioner of Interior of Porto Rico, who calls attention to article eight of the Treaty of Paris, and certain articles from the Civil Code of Spain extended to Porto Rico, the first reciting what was ceded and what rights were reserved to provinces, municipalities, etc., the second declaring all property to be of public or private ownership. Defining and classifying each, he claims that there were no "Crown" lands in Porto Rico at the date of cession; that the so-called "public" lands understood to have passed to the ownership of the United States by the terms of the treaty were, in fact, "private" lands belonging to the "State," and, as such, are the property of the people of Porto Rico, and subject to disposition by the insular government, as was the case under Spanish domination.

The matter of roads and bridges, particularly from the interior to the seacoast, has claimed the earnest consideration during the past year. The importance of these outlets from the productive coffee, tobacco, and fruit regions is shown, and the means employed to relieve interior communities and encourage the people to clear and cultivate the lands with the assurance of profitable returns are set forth in detail. The total of appropriations from the insular treasury for the fiscal year for contingent expenses and salaries, construction and maintenance of public highways, was $478,974. The cost of maintenance grows as sections of new road are added, and even now presents an aggregate of expense which forbids contemplation of the construction of roads from insular revenues until the taxable resources shall have been materially augmented or business conditions may warrant a higher tax rate than is now deemed prudent or wise.

The commissioner, however, notes that the liberality of the Congress of the United States, as exemplified in the appropriation for refunding customs duties, provided a fund with which many miles of good road may be constructed. A portion of it, under allotment by the President, was applied to road construction by the late military government, and the work of completion has been taken up where the army engineers were compelled to leave off.

NATIONAL PARKS.

"During the season patrols have been kept constantly moving in different parts of the reservation, looking for trespassers and hunters. Only one drove of cattle was found trespassing on the reservation, which was driven off, and one large herd of sheep with four herders in charge. The sheep were driven beyond the park limits and the herders ejected from the park. There were 9000 visitors in the park during the season, being 4000 more than last year. About two-thirds of the visitors this season were campers. During the next fiscal year, $25,000 will be needed for the management and care of Sequoia Park and $2000 for care of Gen. Grant Park. The Secretary also recommends an appropriation of $2200 for better preservation of Casa Grande ruin, near Florence, Ariz.

Of the Pan-American Exposition, held at Buffalo, Secretary Hitchcock says:

"Prof. Frank W. Clark, department representative on the board of management of the government exhibit, reports that the first tentative allotment to the Department of the Interior was fixed by the board at $30,000. This sum, however, by allotments to other departments and for purposes carried out by the board as a unit, was subsequently reduced to the net sum of $26,-29.53. December 1, 1901, all unexpended balances credited to the several departments will be consolidated into one common fund, and the separate allotments will then end. Shortages in the funds of other departments will consume all the remainder of the appropriation; so that although this department will show an apparent surplus after the exposition closes, it will be needed by the board in order to meet definite liabilities."

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ILLEGITIMATE CIRCULATION.

Second-class Evils of Postal Service.

Government Dealing in Blood and Thunder.

Postmaster-General's Report Shows Up a Pernicious State of Affairs.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—The annual report of Postmaster-General Charles Emory Smith was made public today. Total receipts from all sources during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1901, amounted to $111,631,153.39; total expenditures, $115,554,920.87, being an excess of expenditures over receipts of $3,923,727.48.

Postmaster-General Smith says: "The second-class matter constitutes nearly 40 per cent. of the weight of the entire mail of the country, and yet, while the postal revenue for the last fiscal year was $111,631,193, the second-class matter paid only $4,294,445 of that amount. That is, while making three-fifths of the mail in weight, it furnished only one-twenty-eighth part of the revenue. The transportation of the mails is paid for chiefly by weight. The enormous disproportion of return to cost in second-class matter is thus apparent at a glance." He estimates that the net cost and loss to the government of carrying this second-class matter was $24,594,285. He says Congress has deliberately established a low rate of postage for genuine newspapers and periodicals, with the express design of encouraging and aiding the distribution of the recognized means and agencies of public information. "It is not a matter of favor," says the Postmaster-General, "but of approved judgment. It is not for the publishers, but for the people. But in adopting this special rate for a legitimate public end, Congress has sought to restrict its privilege to legitimate publications with a manifest public aim and a clear public demand. It never meant to open the flood gates for an inordinate stream of purely private enterprises which have no public object whatever within the contemplation of the law, and which have seized upon the low rate of postage solely for private profit at the public expense.

INDUCEMENTS FOR EVASION.

"Under the practice hitherto prevailing there has been a great inducement to these private publishing enterprises. The two cardinal factors have been cheap paper and nominal postage. The production of legitimate newspapers and periodicals involves costly news service, large editorial staffs, expensive corps of contributors, and all the elaborate machinery of a complete intellectual and business organization. But the manufacture of the kind of papers and periodicals which do not come within the terms of the law costs very little. The chief items are white paper and distribution. In 1885, the postage rate on second-class matter was reduced from 2 cents a pound to 1 cent. The price of white paper at that time was nearly 6 cents a pound. Since then it has gradually declined to 2 cents a pound or less, and with this great and concurrent reduction in the cost both of raw material and distribution, there is a direct and immense premium on these illegitimate outgrowths. The result is the uspringing of thousands of so-called periodicals which are established primarily for advertising purposes. They have few or no legitimate subscribers; they make up lists either by procuring names and sending the papers to them for nothing, or by offering premiums substantially equal in value to the subscription price, and so circulate at a nominal rate, thus being outside of the law at every point. They obtain advertising on the basis of this illegitimate circulation, and it makes a profitable business, for the chief cost to the publisher is the white paper, and the chief expense of the undertaking falls on the government.

"The extent of the complicity of the government in these purely private enterprises is not generally realized. The statement will probably be surprising that in the case of hundreds of such publications, wherever the publisher spends $1000 in his venture the government spends not less than $2000 in carrying on that publisher's business, and wherever he puts in $100,000 into its running expenses the government puts in not less than $200,000. Astonishing as is this statement, it is easily made plain. As already indicated, the kind of publication in question involves very little of the cost of the legitimate newspaper or periodical. It has no news service. Its editorial staff consists of a single hand for scissors and paste pot. The composition and pressework, reduced to a single copy or pound, are infinitesimal. The only material expense is the cost of white paper, which runs about 2 cents a pound. That is the publisher's side of the account.

"The government's side comprises two items. The first is transportation. The entire circulation of these papers is through the mails, and the government pays for carrying them not less than 5 cents a pound, on which it gets back 1 cent. The second item is handling. It has already been shown that this cost is at least 2 cents a pound. It results then that for every 3 cents the publisher pays toward the cost of the business the government pays 6 cents, and for every $1000 contributed by the publisher the government contributes not less than $2000. In other words, the government is the senior partner on the debit side of the business. It furnishes the larger part of the capital, and while it pays about three-fourths of the expenses, all of the receipts go to the private partner."

He says that the needed reform has been sought by proposed legislation, which shall make a more precise and distinct definition of what shall constitute second-class mail matter, and which shall bring within reasonable bounds some of the privileges that are now grossly stretched. In the absence of such additional legislation the department is limited to the application of the law as it is, and as much of the evil that has grown up has come because even the safeguards now provided have been neglected, a more strict enforcement of the existing law will. It is believed, accomplish much good. The rulings and measures adopted to this end have been directed to three distinct kinds of infraction of the law: First, a prohibition of the transmission of "returns," or unsold copies at the pound rates; second, the exclusion of books from the second class; third, the restriction of publications which have not a legitimate list of subscribers or are published primarily for advertising purposes.

NO LAW FOR RETURN COPIES.

"There never was any warrant of law for the sending of return or unsold copies of periodicals at the pound rate. The practice has grown up through loose methods and sheer assumptions. The law is designed to aid in the sale of the legitimate periodicals. With this object it authorizes their transmission at the lowest rate to subscribers or to news agents who dispose of them to purchasers. But it authorizes this only for sale and not for return. It means to carry the periodicals out to people who want them, but not to carry them back at a heavy loss when they are not wanted. It is not conceivable that the law contemplated the issue of an unlimited excess above any known demand and the return of the excess at the same rate to the source of origin. There is no claim that the publishers have what is called the return privilege, but because the law permits news agents to send to other news agents, evidently for the purposes of sale, the pretense has insidiously grown up that the publications may be sent out and allowed to remain on sale for an indefinite time, and that then, when the sale is exhausted, those left over can be sent back at the pound rate to the news company, which is the chief distributor, for redelivery to the publishers. This is claiming for the agent a privilege which is denied to the principal, and is manifestly a mockery of reason. Moreover, it imposes upon the government the double burden of carrying the same matter forward and backward at a double loss."

BLOOD-AND-THUNDER TRASH.

The second feature of reform of abuses of second-class mail, according to Postmaster-General Smith, is the exclusion of books and their relegation to their proper class. He says:

"Cheap paper and cheap postage have wrought incalculable good in opening the avenues to cheap popular literature, but, as often happens in the progress of the world, the vast good is not unmixed with harm. They have also generated a pestilent brood of trashy and noisome publications. Many of the books in question are of the dime-novel order, and are malodorous blood-and-thunder stories. They portray and glorify crime and outlawry. They inflame and debase the youthful mind. Their whole influence is pernicious, and tends to develop and promote the mental and moral disease upon which anarchy feeds and social disorder thrives. Our government does not and cannot establish a censorship; it rightly leaves the protection of society to the wholesome educational influences which it properly encourages. But it is monstrous that, through the perversion of a fair and well-meant law, the government should be made the leading partner and the chief cash contributor, as it has been, in the manufacture of a morally-tainted literature, and it is a gratifying circumstance that the plain duty of enforcing the law will have the added merit of relieving the government in large degree of this lamentable complicity."

PERIODICALS FOR ADVERTISING.

The third step in reform, according to the report, is the rightful classification of periodicals which are obnoxious to the requirements for the second class in that they have not a legitimate list of subscribers, or that they are published primarily for advertising purposes, or for free circulation, or for circulation at nominal rates. This measure is more difficult of execution than the first and second, because the lines are not so clearly drawn, and the evasions of the law are more subtle and elusive. Returns can be absolutely cut off by one stroke. Books are easily recognizable, and placed in their proper class. But it is a work of more delicacy and labor to determine whether many weekly and monthly periodicals are inside or outside of the prescribed and distinguishing requisites for admission to the second class.

The law was framed with the obvious intent of limiting the pound rate to what were understood and recognized as regular newspapers and periodicals serving a distinct public end. When a periodical has not "a legitimate list of subscribers," the law treats it as evidence that there is no public call for it, and that it is not entitled to the privilege. When it is "devoted primarily to advertising purposes," that is held to be a private end, which has no claim to special consideration. When it is issued mainly "for free circulation or for circulation at nominal rates," that again is taken as putting it outside of the limit, for free circulation means that the publisher and not the public, determines the issue, and the law is made in the interest of the public.

RURAL FREE DELIVERY.

The rural free delivery has advanced with increased strides. Its extension during the past year has been nearly three times as great as the whole amount of service previously established. The number of routes in operation at the beginning of the fiscal year was 1276, and at the close 4301. During the current year, with an augmented appropriation and a more experienced force, the work will proceed still more rapidly. At the opening of December, 6003 routes will be running, and under present plans the number will increase by July 1, 1902, to 8600.

The rural population now receiving daily service is about four million, and at the end of the fiscal year it will reach 5,700,000. The delivery system will then cover more than a quarter of the eligible portion of the country, and at the present rate of establishment the entire area suited to the service—that is, as estimated, 1,000,000 square miles of territory with 21,000,000 of rural residents—will be brought within its scope in less than four years. The mail will then, if the work goes on, be delivered at every door in the United States except in the most remote, mountainous and sparsely-settled sections, and in villages of limited receipts where the postoffice is within easy reach. The demand for the service grows with the public experience of its convenience and utility. The number of applications for new routes at this time last year was 2159. Those now pending and awaiting action amount to 6129. Thus the 6000 routes which have been organized are only one-half of the number already asked for.

SERVICE ABROAD.

Postal service in Cuba is now proceeding, more efficiently, and in the Philippine Islands, has been somewhat extended as the general conditions have improved, and the need for intercommunication has been increased. This extension has entailed larger cost, and the expenditures have, for the first time, passed the receipts, the deficit for the year being $36,470.06. Outside of Manila and the larger towns nearly all the revenue is derived from the army, and the employés of the government. The civil-service system is in full operation, and since September 19, 1900, all employés have been appointed after civil-service examination. The need of a regular transportation service between the islands becomes more apparent with the return of normal conditions, and measures for the establishment of such service will receive careful consideration.

OCEAN-MAIL SERVICE.

Under the act of 1891, to provide for ocean-mail service between the United States and foreign ports and to promote commerce, six contract routes for ocean-mail service are now in operation at a cost of $1,448,948 per annum. The latest contract went into effect November 1, 1900, and was with the Oceanic Steamship Company for carrying the mails from San Francisco to Sydney, New South Wales, calling at Honolulu, Pago Pago, and Auckland. This is the only service under the act on the Pacific. Its inducements have not yet proved sufficient to elicit proposals for a direct contract service between the Pacific Coast and the Orient. The importance of a more direct, speedy, and regular communication with the Philippine Islands will be universally recognized. Such communication might be provided in connection with mail service to Japanese and Chinese ports, and its advantage to the commercial and general interests of the country is apparent. The promotion of a merchant marine and the illustration during the recent Spanish War of the value of fast mail steamers as auxiliary cruisers in times of emergency enforce the wisdom of making the act for the extension of ocean-mail service effective wherever it is practicable.

An appropriation of $500,000 for the restoration of pneumatic-tube service is urged, and the establishment of a domestic parcels-post system is declared to be a question for Congress.

MONEY-ORDER TRANSACTIONS.

The volume of money-order transactions during the last five years has increased 56 per cent. During the last fiscal year the receipts of this branch maintained, for the 305 working days, an average of $973,814 daily, and amounted for the year to $294,618,690.90, an increase over the previous year of $39,000,000. The number of money-order offices in operation at the close of the fiscal year was 30,539, a net increase of 880 over the previous year. This increase was small, owing to the fact that the establishment of rural free-delivery routes resulted in the abolition of many small offices. The volume of money-order business, however, shows no diminution because of this fact.

DETAILS OF ADMINISTRATION.

The transportation of the mails by steamboat was performed during the year on 189 routes, 33,970 miles in length, with an annual travel of 4,953,-257 miles, at an annual expenditure of $542,565.32. This is an increase in length of routes of 7969 miles, in annual travel 347,315 miles, and in cost $37,938.19.

There was an increase of mail-messenger routes of 163, making a total of 7353 in operation on June 30 last, with a total length of 5091 miles and 10,341,-346 miles of annual travel, costing $995,811.76.

There were 5,701,033,286 pieces of stamped paper issued to postmasters, with a value of $104,739,002.49, showing an increase of 379,208,412 in number, or 7.12 per cent., and $7,073,841.85 in value, or 7.24 per cent. over the preceding year.

The issue of stamp books of convenient size has continued to be popular with the public, as is evidenced by the fact that 4,698,423 were sold last year with a profit to the department of $46,984.23 over the value of the stamps. In April, 1901, a special series of six stamps, in commemoration of the Pan-American Exposition at Buffalo, was issued by the department, and by the end of the fiscal year the sale of this issue amounted to $3,349,600. A new domestic postal card will very shortly be issued under a contract recently executed. This card will bear in the upper right-hand corner a likeness of the late President McKinley.

There were 51,423 letters and packages registered by rural free-delivery carriers on their routes, an average of about twelve pieces to each carrier.

Under the law authorizing the payment of an indemnity not exceeding $10 for the loss of a registered piece of mail, 151 claims were allowed, amounting in the aggregate to $1034.38. Of these cases, sixty-nine were for the maximum allowance and eighty-two for smaller sums.

During the year 7,133,243 pieces of mail were received at the postoffices for special delivery, an increase of 854,514, on which the additional postage was $713,238.30. As the total expense of the special-delivery service was but $545,598.57, including the cost of manufacturing the stamps, the sum of $167,727.73 accrues as net profit to the government.

Second-class matter was mailed at 9620 postoffices, an increase of seventy-eight over the preceding year. The total amount of this class of matter (paid and free) passing through the mails was 461,219,837 pounds, which, after deducting newspapers and periodicals mailed free in counties of publication, paid $4,294,445.73 postage.

The number of pieces of mail matter of all classes handled by the postal service during the fiscal year reached the total of 7,424,890,329. As near as can be estimated, the several classes were divided into the following proportions: Letters, prepaid and official, 3,604,323,767; postal cards, 659,614,800; newspapers and periodicals, or second-class matter, 2,208,791,539; third and fourth-class matter, 953,661,223.

June 30, 1901, there were 76,945 postoffices, divided as follows: First-class, 205; second-class, 940; third-class, 3318, and fourth-class, 72,479. During the year there were 3294 postoffices established and 3037 offices discontinued. The establishment of rural free-delivery routes resulted in the discontinuance of star-route service costing $131,710.42.

The number of postmasters appointed during the fiscal year was 15,657, of which 15,068 were of the fourth-class and 589 of the Presidential grade.

There were 1611 persons arrested during the year for infractions of the postal laws, of whom 327 were charged with burglarizing postoffices. Of the remainder, 101 were postmasters; 40 assistant postmasters; 65 clerks in postoffices; 10 railway postal clerks; 27 letter carriers; 43 mail carriers; 19 employés in minor places, and 979 were not employed in the postal service. Of the 1025 cases disposed of by the courts, convictions resulted in 634 and 401 were left waiting trial at the end of the year. The aggregate amount of the penalties of all postmasters' bonds now in force is about $117,949,772.

LEGISLATION NEEDED.

The following recommendations for legislation are submitted for the consideration of Congress:

That the maximum fee for a money-order be fixed at 25, instead of 30 cents.

That a fund be created out of the salaries of railway mail clerks to provide for the retirement of such clerks as have, after long periods of service, become incapacitated for active duty.

That publishers be required to make a preliminary separation of newspapers, under the direction of the department, as a condition under which they shall enjoy the exceedingly liberal rates provided for carrying second-class matter through the mails.

That section 3 of the act of June 13, 1898, chapter 446, providing that assistant postmasters, cashiers and other employés in postoffices of the first, second and third classes, shall give bond direct to the United States, be repealed, and that a statute be enacted requiring such officers to give bond directly to the postmasters and holding postmasters responsible under their own bonds, for any and all acts and defaults occurring at their respective offices.

That provision be made for the payment of incidental expenses incurred by local officers or others in the arrest, detention and keeping of prisoners charged with violations of the postal laws until such prisoners can be transferred to the custody of a United States Marshal.

That a statute be enacted authorizing postoffice inspectors to take out search warrants whenever the same may be necessary in the prosecution of their official duties.

That an appropriation be made for the purpose of constructing lookouts wherever, in the opinion of the Postmaster-General, they may be needed.

That the interstate-commerce law be amended to prohibit common carriers, to-wit, telegraph and express companies, or any of their employés, from aiding and abetting in the green-goods or lottery swindles, or any other scheme carried on partly by mail and partly by common carrier, and which is in violation of the postal laws.

Mrs. August Coy, aged 55, and her son, John Coy, aged 30, living on a farm near Centralia, Ill., were killed by an Illinois Central train at Richview.

PIANOS.

Twelve Carloads New Pianos just arrived. Piano buyers need not look any further. Come in and hear the

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The Walk-Over is a $5.00 shoe for $3.50, and it is the only shoe on the market in which this saving is really made.

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CRUTCH-BOUND

The man with the crutch never fails to arouse the deepest sympathy and awaken the tenderest emotions of his more fortunate fellow being. The haggard countenance, swollen joints and twisted and deformed limbs tell a pathetic story of suffering such as Rheumatism alone can inflict. Only those who are painfully and slowly hobbling through life can fully realize what it means to be crutch-bound. They feel most keenly their helpless and dependent condition when it dawns upon them that they are no longer workers but unwilling drones in the busy world.

Rheumatism should not be neglected because the pains at first are wandering and slight. These are only the rumblings of an approaching storm of pains and aches that may transfer you from a life of activity to the ranks of the crutch-bound cripples.

Rheumatism is due to acrid gritty particles being deposited in the joints, muscles and nerves by an impure and too-acid blood, and the strongest constitutions or muscles of iron and nerves of steel can long withstand these corroding poisons. They penetrate to every fibre of the body, and no liniment, lotion or other external application can reach and dislodge them.

Finally the natural oils are consumed when there is a creaking, grinding noise with every movement of the limbs, the joints become locked and immovable, the muscles wither or contract, the nervous system gives way and the patient becomes a physical wreck and crutch-bound cripple. Rubbing with liniments may produce counter-irritation and afford temporary ease, but they cannot reach and destroy these corrosive particles, which are daily forming in the blood.

The correct treatment—the true cure for Rheumatism—is a remedy that will dissolve and wash out this inflammatory matter and expel it from the system, and no medicine does this so promptly and thoroughly as S. S. S. It neutralizes and eliminates from the blood current all poisonous, noxious substances and makes the blood pure and strong again and, as it circulates through the body, all effete matter is gathered up and sent out through the proper channels. This rich new blood cools the feverish, throbbing muscles and joints and refreshes the tired nerves, and welcome relief comes to the wretched sufferer.

S. S. S. contains no Potash, Opium, Anodyne or mineral of any description, but is a Guaranteed Purely Vegetable Compound. The strong minerals that are usually prescribed in Rheumatic cases act very injuriously upon the lining of the stomach, causing inflammation and a most distressing form of dyspepsia.

SSS

S. S. S. not only purifies the blood, but at the same time invigorates and tones up the whole system, increases the appetite, strengthens the digestion and restores the rheumatic sufferer to sound health again.

Send for our special book on Rheumatism, which is free to all who desire it. Write our physicians about your case, and they will cheerfully furnish any information or advice wanted free of cost. THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., Atlanta, Ga.

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I was terribly afflicted with Rheumatism for eighteen months, and during my sickness tried the skill of many good physicians, all of whom pronounced my case hopeless. I was for a year in such a helpless condition that I was unable to dress or feed myself. I had filled at different times, fifty-two prescriptions suggested by friends, none of them giving me any relief. I finally decided to try S. S. S., and took the first dose while hobbling about on crutches. After taking two bottles I found so much relief I was able to relinquish the use of one crutch, and a faithful continuance of the medicine relieved me of the other crutch and shortly afterward enabled me to go to my work, at which I have been ever since. I have had no return of any symptoms of Rheumatism, although this was seven years ago. Yours very truly,

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MRS. E. J. KELLOGG, 148 W. 12th st.

To Dr. Schiffman—Dear sir: It gives me pleasure to state that you extracted fourteen teeth for me without the slightest pain, that the gums healed quickly, that the set of flexible teeth you fitted me with gave perfect satisfaction from the first, and after twenty-two months' wear are seemingly just as good as new. Yours truly,

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See our display of up-to-date dental work at our entrance.

From this date on we will keep all our work in repair FREE of charge.

THE WEATHER.

COMPARATIVE TEMPERATURES.*

	Max.	Min.	Mean.		Max.	Min.	Mean.
[Bo]ston	34	22	28	New York	32	24	28
[W]ashington	40	24	32	Buffalo	24	20	22
[P]ittsburgh	32	26	29	Cincinnati	40	34	37
[Ch]icago	34	30	32	St. Paul	26	22	24
[St.] Louis	50	40	45	Kansas City	54	42	48
[Los] Angeles	68	44	56	Jacksonville	64	40	52

*The maximum is for November 26; the minimum for November 27. The mean is the average temperature for the two days.

Yesterday's Report and Forecast.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Nov. 27.—(Reported by George E. Franklin, Local Forecast Official.) At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 29.97; at 5 p.m., 30.00. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 49 deg. and 61 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 100 per cent.; 5 p.m., 84 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., east, velocity 3 miles; 5 p.m., west, velocity 5 miles. Maximum temperature, 69 deg.; minimum, 44 deg. Barometer reduced to sea level.

Weather Conditions.—The pressure continues high, with cold weather, over the mountain and plateau sections, and this prevents the north coast storm from passing east. It continues off the Washington coast, and is giving rain south to Cape Mendocino. Cloudy weather prevails generally in California, with heavy fog on the south coast. The temperature has fallen from California to Utah and Arizona, except along the southern coast, where there has been a small rise or no change.

Forecasts.—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Cloudy tonight with fog; partly cloudy Thursday.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 27.—Weather conditions and general forecast. San Francisco data: Maximum temperature, 59 deg.; minimum, 52 deg.; mean, 56 deg.

The pressure has fallen rapidly along the coast of Northern California, and there are indications of the approach of a general disturbance along the Oregon coast. The temperature has fallen slightly along the coast from San Francisco northward. No rain has yet fallen in California, but heavy rain is reported at Neah Bay and along the Straits of Fuca. Southeast storm warnings are displayed from Point Reyes to Eureka. Forecast:

For Northern California: Cloudy, unsettled weather Thursday; probably rain; brisk southeast winds, high off shore.

Southern California: Cloudy Thursday; possibly rain by night; light southeast wind.

San Francisco and vicinity: Cloudy, unsettled weather Thursday; probably rain; fresh southeast winds.

Sacramento and vicinity: Cloudy, unsettled weather Thursday; probably showers; fresh south winds.

TEMPERATURES AT 7 A.M. YESTERDAY.

New York	24	Chicago	30
Boston	22	Minneapolis	18
Philadelphia	26	Cincinnati	34
Washington	28	St. Louis	40

Liners.

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SPECIAL NOTICES—

REWARD—$25 REWARD FOR ANY ONE finding Willie W. Labbo, aged 17 years past. Haven't heard from him since Aug. 1, 1901, Laramie, Wyo. Think he went West; parents think something serious has happened. He is 5 feet 5 or 6 inches high, blue eyes, 2 or 3 upper front teeth are filled with gold, has small scar on the side of chin; on the back of one hand are several warts; wore light hat; has open-face silver watch, key winder, Elgin movement; think he has been beating way on freight trains. If found, wire at my expense; hold him. J. W. LABBO, 1732 Water st., Boulder, Colo. 28

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Men's suits dry cleaned and pressed, $1.
Men's suits sponged and pressed, 75c.
Ladies' garments cleaned and dyed.
First-class work guaranteed.
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By a reliable expert just from the East. Gilt-edge references cheerfully furnished; long reference, both municipal and private; terms $5 per day and expenses; all business strictly confidential; will call for interview or arrange for same upon receipt of notice. Address P. O. BOX 432, city. 2

CRESCENT MATTRESS MANUFACTORY. J. V. Herbelin, Prop. Also dealer in furniture, iron beds, springs, etc.; constantly on hand, full stock of mattresses and pillows of all kinds; mattresses renovated and made to order; oak suit, sideboard, dresser, chiffonier, etc. Salesroom, 307 N. MAIN ST. 'Phone John 3626.

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RIGHT UP TO DATE IS THE FIRM OF WILMANS & LUITHLE in the manufacturing of novelty, furniture and upholstering work; all classes of repairing done; salesroom, 521 S. BROADWAY. 'Phone James 1361. Call us up and we will give you cost of work.

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Will undertake all classes of legitimate detective work intrusted to it by railroads or other corporations, banks, mercantile houses, attorneys or private individuals. Offices, 217-218-219 WILSON BLDG.

STANDARD DRESS-CUTTING ACADEMY, 729 S. Broadway. Unlimited lessons with each system. MRS. JULIA E. SPAULDING, manager. Branch office, 137 Ocean Park ave., Long Beach. Miss J. M. Hampton, Mgr.

SCIENCE RECOGNIZES THE TRUTHS OF palmistry. Mrs. Case is scientific in readings and instructions. Suite 117, HELLMAN BLOCK, Second and Broadway. Instructions in classes or private. 30

L. A. STEAM CARPET CLEANING CO. WILL clean and lay carpets, 3c yard. We guarantee our work; refitting specialty. 329 E. Second. Tel. main 74. R. F. BENNETT, Prop.

ALLEN'S MATTRESS FACTORY AND UPholstering Works does all kinds of new and repair work; also carpets cleaned and laid, 3c yard. Tel. James 3341. 556 NEW HIGH.

"GOING OUT OF BUSINESS BY DEC. 1." Cameras and photo supplies sold till that date at absolute cost prices. See our window. J. R. MOELLER, 254 S. Broadway. 29

WANTED—10,000 PEOPLE TO GET OUR prices before ordering printing. We print everything. SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA PRINTING CO., 105 N. Broadway. 28

FOR SALE—A FINE BATH AND TOILET parlor, well established; centrally located; on account of sickness; $2000 cash. Address X, box 8, TIMES OFFICE. 30

FOR PICTURES AND FRAMES TRY ALEXander's; cheapest place in city for good work. 642 S. BROADWAY, bet. Sixth and Seventh. Pictures enlarged.

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PAINTING AND DECORATING IN ALL its branches; job work a specialty. CRAIG & BURROWS, 501 New High. Brown 121.

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IF YOU WANT A FIRST-CLASS WINDOW cleaner, ring up MAIN 715, or call 143 W. FIFTH. House windows a specialty.

INSURE FOR ACCIDENT — FIDELITY Mutual Aid Association, ERNEST W. SCHMIDT, general agent. 518 Maple ave., city.

RECIPE FOR INTERNAL REMEDY FOR internal piles sent to any address for 50c. J. FREITAG, 204½ Commercial st. 29

WILL TEACH ART OF WOOD AND leather burning for $1 (competent.) Address L, box 22, TIMES OFFICE. 28

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CASH WALL PAPER STORE, 660 S. SPRING. Paper-hanging, painting, tinting. Brown 1626.

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SUIT CLEANING BY THE MONTH. TEL. green 1621. 646 S. SPRING.

CHURCH NOTICES—

THERE WILL BE A UNION THANKSGIVing service of West End Bellevue-avenue and Mateo Churches at Trinity M. E. Church, South, Grand ave. near Ninth, at 11 a.m. Rev. Dr. Thrower, the new presiding elder, will preach. 28

WANTED—
Help, Male.

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EMPLOYMENT AGENTS.

A Strictly First-class, Reliable Agency. All kinds of help promptly furnished. Your orders solicited.

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HOTEL AND RESTAURANT DEPT.

Cook and helper, $40 etc., Arizona; man and wife, cook and second, $70 etc.; man and wife, porter and chamberwork, $40 etc.; baker, $10 etc.; another, $9; bell boy, country, $10 etc.; colored porter, $25; 2 waiters, country, $30 etc.

WOMEN'S DEPARTMENT.

Housegirls, city and country $20 and $25; housegirl, Bakersfield, $25; girls to assist, $10 to $15.

WOMEN'S HOTEL DEPT.

Two waitresses, Arizona, $25; Redlands, $20; Santa Ana, $20; Santa Monica, $25; chambermaid, city, $20; restaurant waitresses, $6 and $7; first-class pastry cook, $10; extra waitresses, Santa Barbara, $1.50 and fare; waitress, Ventura, $20; second cook, $20; mother and 2 daughters for Catalina, $60; housegirls, small hotel, $20.

28 HUMMEL BROS. & CO.

WANTED—A CAPABLE MAN WITH ORDInary business experience to take charge of our branch in one of the best towns in Southern California; a good-paying position to right man; from $1000 to $1500 cash, either for security or investment, is desired; only those wanting a steady position need reply; state age and experience. Address L, box 5, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—FOR U. S. ARMY, ABLE-BODIED unmarried men, between the ages of 21 and 35, citizens of the United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can read and write English; recruits especially desired for coast and field artillery. For information, apply to RECRUITING OFFICERS, 115½ N. Main st., Los Angeles, Cal.

C. R. HANSEN & CO.,
EMPLOYMENT AGENTS—
123½-125½ W. SECOND ST., L. A.
'Phone main 282.
Free Register. Correspondence solicited. S. F. office, 104 Geary st. Established 1870.

WANTED—LADIES AND GENTLEMEN, DO you need help? I have many deserving men and women to fill any position applying to me for work, who really need it. I, too, need your help. Will you not help us? MRS. TREFTON'S EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 346 S. Main. 'Phone James 5066. 3

WANTED—CIVIL SERVICE GOVERNMENT positions; 9889 appointments made last year; probably 10,000 this year; only common-school education required for examination; catalogue of information free. COLUMBIAN CORRESPONDENCE COLLEGE, Washington, D. C.

WANTED—CAPABLE MAN OR WOMAN TO travel and appoint agents; a first-class opportunity for a business-like person; $1200 yearly salary and all expenses, with commission extra. Address K, box 20, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—GOOD GAS ENGINE SALESMAN as branch manager for eastern factory who understands pumps, also; give full information as to salary, experience and references. WITTE IRON WORKS CO., Kansas City, Mo. 28

WANTED — MEN TO LEARN BARBER trade; positions after 8 weeks' practice; tools donated; examination and diploma free; wages while learning; catalogue free. MOLER'S BARBER COLLEGE, San Francisco.

WANTED — SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, successor to W. L. Humphreys & Co., 111½ E. Second st. 'Phone green 731; reliable place to get reliable help. Correspondence solicited.

WANTED—JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT OFfice; furnish first-class help; cooks and waiters our specialty; house-cleaning done by day or hour. T. KATAOKA, 135 W. Ninth st. Tel. Peter 4121.

WANTED — OFFICE AND MERCANTILE clerks who have good ability and recommendations should inquire for terms for assistance to satisfactory situations. 225 COPP BLDG. 28

WANTED — OPENING NEW STORE THIS week; bright young man hat salesman wanted; state age, experience, salary and reference. Address K, box 76, TIMES OFFICE. 18

WANTED—A COMPETENT BOOK-KEEPER; must have a thorough knowledge of the nursery business; references required. Address P. O. BOX 2697, Fresno, Cal.

WANTED—3 PARCEL WRAPPERS IN DRY-goods business; only thoroughly experienced persons need apply. Call at VILLE DE PARIS, 221 and 223 S. Broadway. 28

WANTED — MEN TO LEARN BARBER trade; 8 weeks; success guaranteed; situations secured. GORDON'S BARBER COLLEGE, 417 N. Main. 1

WANTED — A GOOD, STRONG BOY TO work in a cannery, $1 per day. Call early. PRIMROSE CONSERVING CO., 789 San Fernando st. 28

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS STENOGRAPHER and book-keeper. RIVERS BROS., Temple and Broadway. Call between 9 and 11 a.m. 18

WANTED—JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT Agency. Help all kinds; also labor furnished day, hour. 642 S. SPRING. Tel. brown 1622.

WANTED—A WOOD WORKER; ALSO BOY with wheel; steady work. Apply JNO. A. SMITH, cabinet works, 434 S. Broadway. 28

WANTED—A BOY FROM 16 TO 18 TO DEliver and work in grocery; wages to commence, $5. Call today, 612 S. HOPE. 28

WANTED — EXPERIENCED WRAPPERS for dry-goods houses; good salaries. Apply Friday, 535 BYRNE BLOCK. 29

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS CARPENTERS. $1. ABBOT & MARTIN, 208 N. Spring, rooms 14-15. 'Phone James 4611. 29

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS UPHOLSTERER. If not first-class, no need to apply at GREER, 1161 S. Figueroa st. 28

WANTED—BOY ABOUT 16 YEARS OLD TO learn dry-goods business. Address L, box 16, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED — KITCHEN HELP, RESTAUrant. 125 N. BROADWAY. Call before 9 o'clock only. 29

WANTED—STRONG MAN TO WORK; FROM 25 to 35. 200 ALBION ST., East Side. 7 o'clock. 28

WANTED—TAILOR; ONE WHO CAN PRESS coats. Call 218 S. BROADWAY, room 440. 28

WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS FINISHER ON coats. Call 218 S. BROADWAY, room 440. 28

WANTED—2 PAINTERS AND 2 PAPERhangers. E. W. REID, 141 Wilson Block. 28

WANTED — STUDENT TO LEARN ASSAYing. Address L, box 36, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—
Help, Female.

WANTED—BRIGHT, EXPERIENCED AND inexperienced saleladies for notions and dry goods, all lines; salaries, $4 to $12; cloak saleslady, $12. Apply Friday, 535 BYRNE BLOCK. Registration free. 28

WANTED — STENOGRAPHER FOR TWO weeks; one accustomed to general office work preferred; give telephone address if possible. Address K, box 74, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—RELIABLE, STEADY GIRL FOR general housework in good vegetarian home; references required. Address K, box 69, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—A GERMAN WOMAN FOR GENeral housework with references; prefer her to go home nights. Call 923 S. FIGUEROA ST. 29

WANTED — TWO BRIGHT, INTELLIGENT young ladies as typewriters (Smith Premier) at OSTRICH FARM. Apply today.

WANTED—THOROUGHLY EXPERIENCED saleslady for cloaks and suits. Address L, box 19, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED — DAILY GOVERNESS FOR 2 children; foreigner preferred. Address L, box 11, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—A GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork; 2 in family; $20 a month. Call 1046 E. 21ST ST. 28

WANTED — GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork. Call at 1906 S. LOS ANGELES ST. 28

WANTED—WOMAN TO TAKE HOME FAMily washing. Apply 1827 SHATTO. 28

WANTED—A GOOD LADY SOLICITOR. 228 W. THIRD ST. 28

NURSES—

A QUIET, PLEASANT, PRIVATE HOME FOR ladies before and after confinement; also for invalids; best of care; terms reasonable. 114 N. BEAUDRY AVE., or 'phone black 1368.

WANTED—
Situations, Male.

WANTED — ARCHITECT OF CONSIDERable experience and ability desires a position as partner or chief draughtsman in prominent architect's office. Address H. B., 1721 W. 25TH ST.

WANTED—SITUATION AS SOLICITOR OR collector, or both, by active young man of 30; 2 years' experience East; references. Address SOLICITOR, L, box 21, Times office.

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WANTED—RELIABLE JAPANESE WISHES to work in office, store or club; speaks good English; good references. T. K., 125 W. NINTH ST. 29

WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN, 20, POSITION in office or outside; thoroughly competent and experienced. Address K, box 66, TIMES OFFICE. 28

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WANTED—REFINED EASTERN LADY DEsires home in family where she can assist in housework and do family sewing; no objection to widower's family. Address L, box 31, TIMES OFFICE. 28

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WANTED—BY CAPABLE MAN AND WIFE, situation on gentleman's place; experienced housekeeper and good all-around man. Address J. M. B., 127 W. 17TH ST. 28

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WANTED—BY COUPLE OF ADULTS, TWO sunny rooms for light housekeeping; state terms. Address L, box 28, TIMES OFFICE. 28

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WANTED — A LARGE, SUNNY ROOM ON first floor in private house, with board, for woman and baby; close in preferred; must be reasonable; state price and particulars. Address L, box 30, TIMES OFFICE. 21

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WANTED—5 OR 6-ROOM COTTAGES BEtween Main, Hoover, Seventh and 14th; $1500 to $2500, for our customers.
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WANTED—PARTIES DESIRING TO PURchase real estate to call and examine my list of choice improved or vacant properties in city and country. J. C. FLOYD, 122 Byrne Bldg., cor. Third and Broadway.

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WANTED—A 10-ACRE BEARING ORANGE grove with present crop, cheap. Address K, box 98, TIMES OFFICE. 1

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WANTED — GOOD LOTS SOUTH AND southwest. NORTH & GRASETT, 102 Wilson Block. 30

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WANTED—TICKET TO DENVER OR EAST; state price. Address G. M. T., 752 S. SPRING. 28

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One-acre or 5-acre tracts; a snap; choicest location in this garden spot. Here is a chance to clear a thousand dollars inside of 90 days.
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$35 PER FOOT.

ONE BLOCK OF 4 CAR LINES.

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$850—Lot 50x130, 28th st., off Central ave.
$500—Lot 40x140, a corner; one block east of Central.
$400—Lot 50x150; W. Jefferson.
$800—Lot 40x130 to alley; Bond st. near 16th st.; street graded.
$600—Lot 45x150, W. Ninth st. near Grand View ave.
$1100—Lot 50x150, Magnolia ave. between Pico and 16th st.; east front.
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$650—50x118, W. 28th st. near Hoover.
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2 lots, 40x120.
Each street graded, curbed, sewered and paid for; near 12th and Central.
Price $850 for both lots.
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FOR SALE—CHEAP; TEN ACRES, LAYS fine; no washes, between Eighth and Pico sts., ½ mile west of city limits; only $350 per acre; buy this and double your money quick; this will pay you 100 per cent. on investment. LEE A. M'CONNELL & CO., 145 S. Broadway.

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BUY WESTACRE LOTS,
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FOR SALE—LOTS ON GRAND, $100 FRONT feet; 50x165, 180 feet north Sixth; 60x165, 120 feet north Fifth; fine for flats. OWNER, 1023 Santee.

FOR SALE—5 ACRES; ALSO 10 ACRES, suitable for subdivision, west of Sunset boulevard, very fine. HOVIS & MARTIN, 136 S. Broadway. 3

FOR SALE — LET ME SHOW YOU THIS week the cheapest 5-acre home in Los Angeles. ERNEST G. TAYLOR, 117 S. Broadway. 29

FOR SALE—SNAP; OWNER WANTS CASH; fine lot on 23d east of Vermont, for $325. C. O. GOODWIN & CO., 107 S. Broadway. 29

FOR SALE—LOTS 13 AND 14, BLOCK 7, OF the Howes tract; want sell quick for cash. HOVIS & MARTIN, 136 S. Broadway. 3

FOR SALE—$800 EACH, 2 LOTS ON Valencia st. between Seventh and Eighth. J. P. JONES, 117 S. Broadway. 28

FOR SALE—LOT BETWEEN NINTH AND 10th, west of Hoover; $275; worth $500; snap. TAYLOR, 105 S. Broadway. 29

FOR SALE—$400; CORNER LOT ON W. 21ST st.; this is easy. Owner, F. A. CRIPPEN, 432 Byrne Block. 28

FOR SALE—$450 EACH FOR LOTS WITHin walking distance west. J. P. JONES, 117 S. Broadway. 28

FOR SALE—A GOOD LOT, CHEAP; CORner Stanislaus and Sunset Boulevard. Owner, 430 N. HILL. 28

FOR SALE — A CORNER LOT, 75x120 TO alley, on 21st st. and San Pedro. Apply 331 E. 11TH ST. 28

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Houses.

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NEW, MODERN RESIDENCE, [illegible] TO ST.; LARGE AND HANDSOME LIVING-ROOM WITH PRESSED-BRICK MANTEL; CHEERFUL DINING-ROOM; ALSO PLEASANT BREAKFAST ROOM; FIVE GOOD BEDROOMS; ATTIC; POLISHED OAK FLOORS BELOW; ELEVATED LOT WITH 60 FEET FRONTAGE; LARGE CELLAR; A SIGHTLY HOME; PRICE $6500.

HAVE OTHER HOUSES IN DIFFERENT PARTS OF THE CITY.

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FOR SALE—
—WESTLAKE— —WESTLAKE—

ONLY—$3500—ONLY

7 ROOMS, ONE AN ALCOVED ROOM; FINE RECEPTION HALL, BATH, PANTRY; ALL WITH NICELY TINTED WALLS; EVERYTHING STRICTLY MODERN AND UP TO DATE. OWNER OBLIGED TO LEAVE THE CITY AND MUST SELL; PRICE IS FOR A FEW DAYS ONLY.

$3250—WINFIELD ST. NEAR WESTLAKE, A FINE HOME, ALL MODERN AND STRICTLY UP TO DATE.

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$3000—ON W. 26TH; THIS IS WORTH MUCH MORE THAN THE PRICE ASKED; IN AN ELEGANT NEIGHBORHOOD; TERMS EASY.

WE HAVE HOUSES AND COTTAGES IN EVERY PART OF THE CITY; SOME OF THEM VERY LOW, WHICH IT WILL PAY YOU TO INVESTIGATE.

R. E. IBBETSON & CO.,
SOLE AGENTS,
28 ROOM 338, DOUGLAS BLDG.

FOR SALE—SEE DAY ABOUT IT—
$1400—Do not miss this bargain; 4 rooms, hard finish, on good improved street, between Main and Maple; easy terms if you want them.
$2100—Strictly modern house in Westlake tract; 5 rooms in addition to summer kitchen, bath, etc.; extra large lot.
$2600—If you want a thoroughly up-to-date new house of 6 rooms, 1½ stories, on a good street in South Bonnie Brae district, this will suit you.
$2700—Why pay the same money for a long "way out" when you can get this 6-room cottage on good lot, right in town on Olive st., within 4 blocks of this office?
$3000—You can have a larger house and larger lot in the same vicinity; also one of the cheapest close-in properties on the market today.
$3000—Special bargain in choice residence, southwest; 8 rooms, including large reception hall, 4 fine bedrooms; up-to-date plumbing and heating furnace; modern; splendid lot, east front, 50x150 to alley; on beautiful street, close in; good car service. You will like this.
We recommend the above as low and medium-priced properties. See us also for choice residences and lots in Westlake and southwest districts. CHARLES E. DAY,
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A FINE
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AT A BARGAIN.
NINE ROOMS.
RECEPTION HALL,
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MANTELS, POLISHED FLOORS,
PORCELAIN BATH, BASEMENT.
LARGE ROOMS.
WELL ARRANGED.
BEAUTIFUL FLOWERS,
LAWN, VINES AND PALMS.
PRETTIEST PLACE ON
MENLO AVENUE.
LOT 50x150.
$1000 DOWN,
BALANCE IN GOOD CITY LOTS.
VALUE $6000.
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FOR SALE—
$1600—5-ROOM COTTAGE, HALL, BATH, etc.; street work complete; 12th st. block.
$1800—5-room cottage, modern; a snap place; E. 21st st., in 800 block.
$2250 will buy a 6-room cottage, modern, on 21st st., west, in 500 block.
$2500—6-room cottage, modern, corner lot; a cheap place on Vermont.
$2750—6-room, new, modern cottage, gas and electric; a complete home place, lot, 50x125, on W. 11th st.; is cheap at $[illegible].
$3250 will buy one of the most homes of 6 rooms in the city; polished floors, hand-decorated walls, x125; Winfield near Westlake.
$3250—8-room well-built modern house, story, gas and electric fixtures, yard; cannot be beat for the money; 21st st., 600 block.
$3500—8-room modern house, barn, 30th st., 1100 block.
$4000—8-room home on S. Grand; place for the price asked, in the [illegible].
G. A. CORTELYOU,
28 244 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—
No. 324 E. Main st., 5 rooms, lot [illegible], $1800.
No. 1130 W. 17th st., 6 rooms, lot [illegible], $2500.
No. 1470 W. 29th st., 6 rooms, lot [illegible], $3300.
No. 1409 W. Seventh st., 5 rooms, lot [illegible] 140, $1300.
No. 1055 W. 21st st., 5 rooms, lot [illegible], $2600.
No. 1307 Reid st., 5 rooms, lot [illegible], $1800.
No. 1237 Omaha st., 5 rooms, lot [illegible], $1800.
No. 1240 Omaha st., 4 rooms, lot [illegible], $1300.
No. 1622 S. Union ave., 6 rooms, lot [illegible] 165, $2700.
No. 1606 S. Union ave., 5 rooms, lot [illegible] 165, $2600.
No. 1610 S. Union ave., 6 rooms, lot [illegible] 165, $2700.
No. 1614 S. Union ave., 5 rooms, lot [illegible] 165, $2600.
THOMAS S. WADSWORTH,
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FOR SALE—
DO YOU
WANT A
HOME,
CASH OR EASY PAYMENTS?
Come in, tell us what you want, as you can, and we will show you something to suit or none. We do not send you on wild-goose chases. We do not sell property at boom prices. Property well worth the price asked or we do not handle it. We have a number of fine homes, 5, 6 and 7 rooms, right prices, or easy-payment plan. Come in and talk it over; you'll like our method of doing business for we'll save you both time and money.
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FOR SALE—
WE SELL THE EARTH.
BASSETT & SMITH.

A HOME,
COMPLETELY FURNISHED,
CLOSE IN, GOOD LOCATION,
[illegible] W. 23D ST.,
Between Grand and Figueroa.
8 rooms, pantry, bath, closets, porch in front; screen porch in rear; flowers, etc.; walnut furniture, bedsteads; price $[illegible]; all ready to move into.
WILL YOU TAKE THE SNAP?
BASSETT & SMITH,
29 202½ S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—SNAP INVESTMENT—
$3300—7-room house, furnished, $400 piano, 3-room cottage on lot, near Westlake; rented, paying well on price; $3000 will handle it.
$1270—4-room cottage, 27th near [illegible]; easy terms.
$1350—5-room cottage, southwest; [illegible].
Have some lots that are [illegible].
C. O. GOODWIN & CO.,
28 107 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE — 5-ROOM COTTAGE, [illegible] style, $2600. 726 E. 23D ST.

Liners.

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THE PICK OF THE SOUTHWEST.
MODERN 10-ROOM RESIDENCE.
EVERY POSSIBLE CONVENIENCE.
LOT 50x175.
NEAR CORNER 28TH AND SEVERANCE STS.
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AN IDEAL HOME.
THIS WILL INTEREST.
THIS AND EVERYTHING ELSE IN THE CITY WORTH LOOKING AT.
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NOT FAR FROM CORNER OF FIGUEROA AND NINTH STS.
SOUTH EXPOSURE.
GOOD NEIGHBORHOOD.
HOUSE DECORATED AND WELL BUILT.
LOT 45x150.
AN IDEAL HOME; ONE YOU CAN SELL AT A PROFIT.
LONG LIST OTHERS.
WRIGHT & CALLENDER,
222 S. HILL ST.

FOR SALE—
HILL—HILL—HILL.
$1000 CASH, BALANCE TO SUIT; PROPERTY PAYING 5 PER CENT. NOW AND WILL DOUBLE IN A SHORT TIME. BEST BUY ON THE STREET. INVESTIGATE AND SEE.
$4500— —$4500— —$4500.
R. E. IBBETSON & CO.,
28 ROOM 338, DOUGLAS BLOCK.

FOR SALE—$4500; FINE 9-ROOM HOUSE, with furniture, large rooms, barn, chicken yard; W. 14th st.; lot 50x140; terms.
$3000—Pleasantly located 6-room house, W. 18th st., beyond Figueroa; everything A1 shape; barn, lot 72x160; terms.
$3000—Nice large cottage, 6 rooms, hall, 2 fireplaces; all in excellent condition; barn; lot 5?x140; half cash.
$1600—Modern 5-room cottage, Blaine st.; lot 40x140.
$2300—6-room cottage, Hoover st.
$2000—5-room cottage, W. 11th st.
$1500—5-room cottage, Pico Heights.
$2250—5-room cottage, W. 28th st.
$2000—4-room cottage, with furniture, East 14th st.
For these and others see
LINCOLN & COUTS,
28 221 Byrne Bldg., Third and Broadway.

FOR SALE—$1200; CHEAP, 5-ROOM COTTAGE on Vermont ave.; lot 54x148.
$1800—5-room cottage on W. Jefferson st.; electric lights, bath, patent toilet, etc.
$2750—6-room modern cottage on 24th st.; fully furnished; bath, patent toilet; lot 50x160; price, including furniture, $2750.
$3000—7-room, 1½-story modern house, Westlake; barn, etc.
$3650—2-story, 9-room, new, modern house, W. 28th st.; bath, two toilets, electric lights, etc.
C. W. CONWAY,
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FOR SALE—
SNAP—SNAP—SNAP.
EAST ADAMS—EAST ADAMS.
$50 CASH, BALANCE $16 A MONTH.
$1500— —$1500— —$1500.
5 ROOMS, NEW, MODERN COTTAGE, YELLOW PINE FINISH, BATH, SIDEBOARD, LARGE HALL, ELEGANT MANTEL; FINE LOT; THIS IS YOUR CHANCE.
WE HAVE HOUSES AND COTTAGES IN ALL PARTS AND AT ALL PRICES FROM $500 UP, AND ON EASY TERMS.
SOME 5-ROOM, FINE COTTAGES, $150 CASH AND MONTHLY PAYMENTS LIKE RENT FOR THE BALANCE.
R. E. IBBETSON,
28 338 DOUGLAS BLDG.

FOR SALE—PICO HEIGHTS—
$650—3 rooms. $750—5 rooms.
$750—5 rooms. $900—5 rooms.
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$850—5 rooms. $900—5 rooms.
$1150—5 rooms, new. $1250—4 rooms, new.
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$1100—4 rooms. $1150—4 rooms.
$1600—5 rooms, new. $1750—5 rooms, new.
$1500—4 rooms. $2075—5 rooms.
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$1000—4 rooms. $1200—5 rooms.
$1500—5 rooms. $2000—9 rooms.
$2500—8 rooms. $3000—8 rooms.
ALLEN & ALLEN,
124 S. Broadway. 'Phone main 480. 28

FOR SALE—
A very fine 6-room modern cottage at No. 1341 Childs st., near W. Washington; has electric lights, tinted walls, pretty mantel, bath; fine cement basement, good barn, chicken-house, etc.; large lot, 60x150; fine lawn, flowers and shrubbery; ½ block from cars; can be seen today; this is a snap at
$2500.
EDWARD D. SILENT & CO.,
28 216 W. Second st.

FOR SALE—
Main st., lot 60x160, opposite the Childs place, between 11th and 12th sts.,
ONLY $8000.
ONLY $8000.
Will be worth $12,000 in one year.
THOMAS S. WADSWORTH,
319-320 Douglas Building.

FOR SALE—
$275 per foot, 132 feet, corner Broadway and Franklin sts. The best bargain in the city.
THOMAS S. WADSWORTH,
319-320 Douglas Bldg.

FOR SALE—
VERY CHEAP.
LOOK AT NORTHEAST CORNER 11TH AND DEWEY STS.
GOOD HOUSE,
SIX ROOMS AND TWO LOTS, CORNER.
$1150 ONLY.
FIRST MONEY GETS IT.
JUST THINK, 2 LOTS AND GOOD 6-ROOM HOUSE FOR $1150. PICO HEIGHTS.
A GOOD SPECULATION IF YOU CAN'T OCCUPY IT; WORTH $1650 EASY.
N. M. ENTLER & CO.,
218 WILCOX BLDG.

FOR SALE—
An excellent house of 8 rooms on W. 18th st. near Figueroa; is brand new and has every modern improvement; porcelain bath, tinted walls, electric fixtures and is a good buy at
$4800.
EDWARD D. SILENT & CO.,
216 W. Second st.

FOR SALE—IF IT IS A MANSION, DWELLING or cottage, we have it. Your idea of location is good, for we are building several handsome houses in that exact locality. Is it a fact because you pay such high rent you do not understand buying a home on monthly payments? If such be the case, call at our office and we will gladly explain particulars to you; our list of properties are as good as anyone can possibly have, for we devote half of our time looking up property at market value. Call and see us; you will save time and money. A. T. JERGINS & CO., 337 Douglas Bldg. 28

FOR SALE — MODERN 6-ROOM COTTAGE on W. 22d near Traction; lot 50x150; price $2500.
For sale— Fine strictly modern house of 7 rooms with all conveniences; lawn, etc.; lot 50x135, on W. 25th near Traction line; price $3000.
For sale—House of 3 rooms on W. Second; lot 50x130, lawn, etc.; price $2750.
NORTH & GRASETT,
30 102 WILSON BLOCK.

FOR SALE—
$6500—A close-in income property, large lot, 20-room house, furnished; not more than 5 minutes' walk from Third and Spring, in the neighborhood of Fifth and Main. If you want to make some quick money buy this; it is a sure snap.
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20 322 Byrne Bldg.

FOR SALE— Houses.

FOR SALE—
House, No. 2707 Hobart st., just south of Adams; take green Traction cars; has 8 rooms and bath; all modern; lot 50x135; this is a big bargain at
—$3000—
Call at house mornings or to
EDWARD D. SILENT & CO.,
28 216 W. Second st.

FOR SALE—
110 FEET ON FLOWER, IMPROVED BY AN APARTMENT HOUSE OF 42 ROOMS. THE ANNUAL INCOME FROM THIS PROPERTY IS $2400. WE ARE OFFERING IT AT
$20,000.
WINTON & EVANS,
28 138 S. BROADWAY.

FOR SALE—CLOSE IN ON TOBERMAN ST., A BEAUTIFUL 9-ROOM, 2-STORY, MODERN DWELLING; BEAUTIFUL COVE CEILINGS, POLISHED FLOORS, GAS AND ELECTRIC FIXTURES, SCREENS AND SHADES; EVERYTHING WELL ARRANGED AND COMPLETE FOR ONLY $4250. ONE OF THE BEST DWELLINGS IN LOS ANGELES FOR THE MONEY, AND I AM WILLING TO MAKE PARTIES EASY TERMS. CALL AND SEE US. A. T. JERGINS & CO., 337 DOUGLAS BLDG. TEL. JOHN NO. 7231.

FOR SALE—
FLATS.
—$9000—
PAYS 15 PER CENT. NET ON EQUITY OF $4000; 6 FLATS, ALL RENTED, PAYING $1350 PER YEAR NET; CLOSE IN, WEST OF BROADWAY; TOTAL RENT $1722.
CLARK & CHAPIN,
SOLE AGENTS,
28 224 BYRNE BLDG.

FOR SALE—
$1750—7 rooms, S. State st., between Third and Fourth.
$1800—10 rooms, 2-story, Banning st.; always rented; snap.
Two houses, corner Banning, Vignes and Banning; do not bother the tenants but call on MOLONY, CLARK & CO., 218 W. First. 'Phone Main 335. 28

FOR SALE—
Go out today and look at that homelike cottage of 5 rooms, 1539 W. 21st st., with lawn, flowers, fruit trees, barn, chicken corrals, lot 50 feet front, for $1650.
L. T. BRADFORD,
29 304 Laughlin Bldg.

FOR SALE—TO PARTIES WANTING TO buy home for cash or on the installment plan, remember we are the agents for most of all the best builders in Los Angeles, and if you will kindly call at our office we will take pleasure in furnishing you with a list of all of those beautiful dwellings you notice being built throughout the city. We will also explain to you the system of what is better known as monthly installments. 337 DOUGLAS BLDG. 28

FOR SALE—
$1400—Half cash, furnished cottage, 12th st.
$1500—Nice modern 5-room cottage, S.W.
$1200—Installment, 4 rooms, 29th.
$5500—Beautiful 10 rooms, S.W., near Figueroa.
$6000—Bargain, 10 rooms, Bonnie Brae.
$2100—Modern 6-room cottage, Bonsallo.
To buy a home and save money, see
TAYLOR, JONES & ALPAUGH,
28 336 Bradbury Block.

FOR SALE—$4600; A FINE, NEW HOME, just completed, on Union ave. between 20th and 21st sts.; 8 rooms, modern throughout, close to 2 car lines; day work, finished in selected white pine; large cellar and attic, screen porch, 2 toilets and bath, open plumbing, furnace, gas and electricity; coved ceilings, polished floors, decorated, fine neighborhood; none better. For particulars apply to owner, STEPHEN E. BATCHELLER, 2001 Toberman st. 30

FOR SALE—A PERFECT BEAUTY FOR convenience and style; 5-room modern cottage, close to Arcade depot and power-house; just the place where a weary motorman, conductor, machinist or young married couple can enjoy life; only $200 cash required; balance 6 years flat, 6 per cent.; don't delay looking this up if you can use it; if not, buy it anyway and make $200 or $400. LOS ANGELES REAL ESTATE & TRUST CO., 110 S. Broadway. 28

FOR SALE—$3000; HOUSE OF 9 ROOMS, bath, pantries, closets, grates, hot and cold water attachments, range; close to car line within 7 minutes' ride of Ninth and Spring; corner lot, 150x215; barn, wood and chicken-houses; large variety of fruit and flowers; $1600 cash, balance on time; will buy this beautiful home; to see it means to buy; purchaser can sell 2 lots and have plenty left. Apply to F. A. BURKHART & CO., 542 S. Spring. 28

FOR SALE—WE HAVE FOUND A BARgain; read this carefully; we can sell you a 2-story, 7 rooms, porcelain tub, gas and electric, double porcelain stationary tub, mantel, fine lot of fruit, lawn, on Union ave. close to Pico cars; choice neighborhood and we have not seen anything to compare with it, for $3650, half cash; don't delay; this will sell soon, sure; worth $3000. LOS ANGELES REALTY CO., 502 S. Broadway. 1

FOR SALE—A BEAUTIFUL SIX-ROOM, strictly modern cottage, with polished floors, tinted walls, decorated cove ceilings, on W. 23d st.; extra good neighborhood, 1 block of Traction car line; this property I am offering for $2500; parties who have not all cash can pay $500 down and balance $20 per month. Call at our office and we will drive out and show you property. Owner, A. T. JERGINS & CO., room 337, Douglas Bldg. 28

FOR SALE—
$4000—2 flats on 60-ft. lot, 12th st., close in; you can occupy one and rent the other.
$1250—New 6-room cottage, southwest.
$4000—11-room house near Figueroa and Adams; would take good cottage in part payment.
J. R. NICHOLS,
28 Office hours, 2 to 5. 530 Laughlin Bldg.

FOR SALE—MODERN, 2-STORY HOUSE, just finished, 8 rooms and reception hall; complete in every particular; large bath and dressing-room; closets with windows; front and back stairs; basement; lot fenced; street graded, etc.; one block from West Adams-st. car line; none but 2-story houses in the tract. Further particulars, see F. L. BOTSFORD, 202 Frost Bldg. 28

FOR SALE—$850; HALF A HOUSE, PARTly furnished; kitchen, bedroom, clothes closet, pantry, screen porch, good brick cellar, build front to suit yourself; street improved; 50-ft. lot, lawn, select shrubbery, fruit trees, berries, grapes, good fence, chicken yard and 50 thoroughbred Barred Rocks; garden tools; all in good order. 962 E. 23D. Owner. 28

FOR SALE—5-ROOM COTTAGE, SOUTHwest; one of the most beautiful homes in the city; strictly modern; electric lights, gas, bath, hot and cold water, cozy reception hall, lawn, back and front; owner must sell immediately; $2350, cash or easy payments; this is more than a snap. 300-301 LANKERSHIM BLDG., corner Third and Spring sts. 28

FOR SALE—ELEGANT FIGUEROA-STREET RESIDENCE, NEW 12-ROOM HOUSE, FINE BARN, LARGE GROUNDS, RARE TREES, SHRUBS AND FLOWERS; A MODEL HOME FOR PEOPLE OF MEANS; OWNER LEAVING CITY; WILL SELL CHEAP. W. I. HOLLINGSWORTH & CO., ROOM 343-345 WILCOX BLDG., SOLE AGENTS. 1

FOR SALE—WE MUST SELL OUR GOOD 4-room home, Pico Heights; has bath, new mantel, hot and cold water; fine plumbing to cesspool, 20 feet deep; lot 50 feet, alley, just off car line; flowers and vines; our place is worth $1300 but will sell for $1200, half cash; no agents; we will show it and want your offer. Address L, box 17, TIMES OFFICE. 1

FOR SALE—
HOUSES BUILT TO ORDER.
MONEY SAVED.
Estimates and Plans Submitted Free.
Terms to suit.
CALIFORNIA REALTY CO.
BUILDERS,
322-323 Stimson Block.

FOR SALE—HERE IS THE SNAP FOR THE big family; 10 rooms, 6 bedrooms, gas, electricity, fireplace, big lot and barn, fruit; Hoover st. near Washington; good well-built home, perfect condition; you ought to go with us and see it; splendid bargain, only $2700. LOS ANGELES REALTY CO., 502 S. Broadway. 1

FOR SALE—EAST LOS ANGELES. ONE 1-room cottage, hard finish, graded street, (26) $800. 1 5-room cottage, hard finish, (26) graded street, $1000; 1 5-room cottage, hard finished, (26) graded street, $1150; 1 6-room cottage, hard finished, (24) graded street, $1200. On terms. Call at 600 DOWNEY AVE. 28

FOR SALE—HERE IS THE BEST 7-ROOM house we have for sale; good graded street, marble mantel, good dry cellar, fine lot fruit, lawn, cement walks, sliding doors, reception hall; come and see it; this can be bought for $1800, on 27th near Main. LOS ANGELES REALTY CO., 502 S. Broadway. 1

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE; 9-ROOM, modern house, just south of Westlake Park; price $5500.
10-room house, corner lot; would like a cash offer this week.
3 acres, southwest; small house, barn and well. J. C. FLOYD, 532 Byrne Bldg. 28

FOR SALE—ELEGANT, MODERN, 8-ROOM residence, 60x165, Grand ave., near 16th; worth $6000; take it for $4500; be quick. STONE & CLAY, 432 Laughlin Block. 28

FOR SALE— Houses.

FOR SALE—I AM OFFERING A VERY complete and elegant new home on Grattan st. near Ninth; a home of 8 large rooms, decorated ceilings and tinted walls; large lot; this is a very choice property and has few equals; $5000; see my agent. F. L. BOTSFORD, 202 Frost Bldg. 28

FOR SALE—
Two 5-room houses on fine lots on S. Main near Washington, $4000; or will sell separately. MOLONY, CLARK & CO. 218 W. First. 'Phone main 335. 28

FOR SALE—6-ROOM COTTAGE, MODERN, electric lights, bath, lawn, shade trees, 2 blocks from school; lot 50x136; price $1650; $350 down, balance easy payments; must be sold. Call early. EIGHOLZ & SINCLAIR, 300-1 Lankershim Bldg., Third and Spring sts. 28

FOR SALE—NEW, MODERN, TWO-STORY dwelling on Toberman st., just completed; price $4300; this is one of the most beautiful streets in the city and will make someone an ideal home; see this in your rounds. For particulars, call at 337 DOUGLAS BLDG. 28

FOR SALE—EAST LOS ANGELES, SIX rooms, hard finished, bath; $1800; 12-room house and barn, close in, $2250; elegant 5-room cottage, No. 1 location, $3000; 5-room cottage, lovely home, $2000; 6-room cottage and barn, $1400. Call 600 DOWNEY AVE. 28

FOR SALE — 7-ROOM, 2-STORY HOUSE, southwest, on car line; gas, electric fixtures, bath, 12 bearing fruit trees, lawns, etc.; will leave shades on windows and upper floor completely carpeted; $2300. LOCKHART & SON, 117 S. Broadway. 28

FOR SALE—$3000 ONLY BUYS A BEAUTIful 9-room, new, modern dwelling on W. 24th st. near the Log Cabin house; as good a neighborhood as one can wish for. Call and let us show you this handsome home if you are thinking of buying. A. T. JERGINS & CO., 337 Douglas Bldg. 28

FOR SALE — $1850; NEAT COTTAGE AND very valuable lot, 282; also 204 S. Figueroa st.; the lot alone is worth the money; will increase fast in value; only 10 minutes' walk from City Hall; save car fare. WIESENDANGER, 226-228 Laughlin Block. 28

FOR SALE—$1250; COTTAGE HOME ON 23d st. near Main; 4 rooms, plastered and papered house; street graded and sewered; south front; a select neighborhood; can make terms to suit. WM. N. HOLWAY, Sole Agent, 529 Laughlin Bldg. 28

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FOR SALE—SNAP IF TAKEN THIS WEEK, house of 6 rooms, modern, lawn, flowers; only $1600; terms. Address L, box 27, TIMES OFFICE. 28

FOR SALE—7 ROOMS, NICELY FURNISHed, Spring st., $275; 15 rooms, rent $20, close in, $700. WUERZ & KETCHAM, 128½ South Spring. 28

FOR SALE—PICO HEIGHTS; 4-ROOM COTtage, $800 cash, or installments. Apply to owner, S. H. RIGBY, 312 California Bank Bldg. 1

FOR SALE—721 E. ADAMS ST.; 7-ROOM, modern cottage, without doubt the best value in city at $3000. TAYLOR, 105 Broadway. 28

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I have 44 acres of beet or alfalfa land to sell; located near Downey; beets pay from $30 to $50 per acre each year. Write to A. D. BRADBEER, Norwalk, Cal. 28

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$7000—FINE FAMILY HOTEL, 60 ROOMS.
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60x120, alley, near Fourth; $1750 per foot.
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Part cash, mortgage 5 per cent. if desired.
Full commission to agent or purchaser.
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FOR EXCHANGE—OR SALE; A 40-ACRE alfalfa ranch with house, barn, wells, windmill, tank and tankhouse, for $4500.
For exchange—1200-acre stock ranch, close to R.R. and depot.
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Stanford		All-South. Cal.
Lee	center	Sabichi-Oxnam
Barnhisel	right guard	Wheatley
Thompson	left guard	Morgan
McFadden	right tackle	Tappan
Traeger	left tackle	Bentley
Cooper	right end	Salisbury
Clark	left end	Klokke
Bansback	quarter	Ryas
Fisher	right half	Wilson
Hill	left half	Stephens
Slaker	full-back	Bazata

The officials who will have charge of the game are Sheehan, umpire; Haskins, referee; Spence and Dole, linesmen; Roosevelt and Bayer, timers.

Play will begin promptly at 2:30 o'clock.

COMMERCIAL WINS.

The eleven of the Commercial High School defeated the second St. Vincent College team yesterday afternoon by a score of 2 to 0 on the grounds at Hope and Washington streets. The game was a hard-fought one from start to finish, and was won on a safety.

Commercial won the toss and Dow kicked off to Shannon, who ran the ball back 5 yards. Then St. Vincent tried to buck the line, but lost the ball on downs. Commercial took the ball, and by end runs got it down to St. Vincent's 5-yard line. There they lost it on a buck by fumbling, and the ball rolled over St. Vincent's goal line, where it was downed by St. Vincent for a safety. Score: Commercial, 2; St. Vincent, 0. Sarrail kicked from the 25-yard line and Shields ran the ball back 15 yards, Commercial losing it on downs. St. Vincent had it in the center of the field when the first half ended.

There was no scoring in the second half, the greater part of the time being devoted to squabbling over the possession of the ball, after several blocked kicks. Game was finally called with the ball on St. Vincent's 3-yard line.

The line-up was as follows:

Commercial.		St. Vincent.
Dow	center	Thomaspon
Gilbert	right guard	Graff
McLawren	left guard	Lockhart
Levy	right tackle	Bamrick-McDonald
Montgomery	left tackle	Gosper
Kilpatrick	right end	Whalen
Edwards	left end	Murieta
Shields	quarter	Shannon
Scott	right half	Hayes
Johnson	full back	Sarrail

The Eighth-streets beat the Sixteenth-streets yesterday for the third time by a score of 6 to 0.

Driving Club Races.

The holiday matinée of the Driving Club at Agricultural Park will begin at 1:30 o'clock, and the five races on the card should furnish plenty of sport.

Baseball.

The Dutch from San Francisco and the Looloos will begin today at the Chutes grounds the closing games of the present baseball season. Six games will be played, two being postponed games.

There will be two today, one at 10:30 o'clock, and the other at 2:30 o'clock. The line-up this morning will be as follows:

Los Angeles.		San Francisco.
Hale	pitcher	Whalen
Spies	catcher	Wilson
Kihm	first base	Graham
Reitz	second base	Krug
Reilly, C.	third base	J. Reilly
Hall	shortstop	Shay
Dougherty	right field	Schwartz
Householder	center field	Nordyke
Hemphill	left field	Hildebrandt

Iberg will pitch for the Dutch this afternoon and McPartlin for the locals.

Basket-ball.

The Senior B girls' team of the High School will play a match game with the Senior B girls' team of the Alhambra High School next Saturday at 3 o'clock on the grounds of the Los Angeles High School. More than ordinary interest is taken in this game, as it will be the first ever played on the High School grounds. The local team will consist of the same players that defeated the Alhambra team at Alhambra several weeks ago, and is as follows:

Marie H. Metcalf (Capt.) forward; Florence Hatch, forward; Minta Cox, center; Harriet James and Edith Busser, guards.

The Alhambra team consists of Florence Dodson (Capt.) forward; Anna Weeks, forward; Millicent Earle, center; Christine Western and Agnes McMillian, guards.

Bowling.

The Monarch ninepin team bowled the second high game of the present tournament last night in a contest with the Angeles team on the Angeles alleys, making a score of 82 to 64 for the losing team. There is no question that the Oaks' record roll of 85 would have been beaten if Dodge had not had such bad luck in both his first and second games, making but three in each. Conrad also fell down in his second.

Deming of the Monarchs made the total of 23, which is second high score, being but one pin less than that made by Harry Burke of the Oaks October 30.

The results last night were as follows:

MONARCH.

	1.	2.	3.	Total.	Av.
Deming	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	23	7 2-3
Conrad	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Dodge	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Hart	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Heyer	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	30	22	30	82	

Total pins—82.
High roll—Deming, 8.
High average—Deming, 7 2-3.
Team average—5 5-15.

ANGELES.

	1.	2.	3.	Total.	Av.
Meyer	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Spoor	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Steinman	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Hinman	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Tedford	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	19	21	24	64	

Total pins—64.
High roll—4.
High average—Hinman, 5.
Team average—4 4-15.

The game tonight will be tenpins at the Chutes alleys between the Chutes team and the Ladies.

Coursing.

A special matinée will be given at the coursing park today, the card consisting of a 28-dog open stake, and a consolation, the first course to be run at 10:30 o'clock.

Golf.

An open amateur handicap for men and women will be played at the Country Club today, beginning at 9 o'clock. The men will play 18 holes both morning and afternoon, and the women 18 in the afternoon. Prizes are offered for the best gross, and the two best handicap scores, in both class A and class B. Class A contains those players having handicaps of 18 or less in 36 holes, and class B, all the others.

CHILD-STUDY CIRCLE.

The Child Study Circle of the Hewitt-street school held a meeting yesterday afternoon, which was largely attended. Mrs. W. W. Murphy, president of the Child Study Federation, read a paper on "Our Boys," which was freely discussed. Agnes Blusseret and Annie Lipkin, pupils of the school, gave an instrumental duet. The circle of this school is officered by Mrs. J. M. Vena, president; Mrs. Gerckins, vice-president; Mrs. K. J. Barr, secretary and treasurer.

BISHOP PARTRIDGE MARRIES.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 27.—Rt. Rev. Sidney Catlin Partridge, bishop of Kyolo, Japan, and Miss Agnes Louise Simpson, daughter of Capt. John Simpson, consular representative of Denmark, were married at St. Luke's Church in this city today.

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While a great part of the money is to be expended for steel rails, new cars and electric equipment, the vast operations will give employment to hundreds of men and must stimulate activity in every branch of commercial life, and, it is thought, will bring being many other enterprises of no small scope.

The interests involved have been granted many and have asked for franchises covering promising territory for electric lines, and the intention, it is said, is to make immediate use of the privileges obtained. Sections of the city in need of transportation ... are to have their wants cared for ... suburban communities are to be brought into closer touch with Los Angeles, the commercial center, ... physical condition of all existing lines is to be carried to the highest point of perfection. Much of this work already is in progress and a great deal more is in a formative stage. ... as possible new and heavier rails are being laid, improved cars in large numbers have been ordered, and every appliance and device is being adopted to improve the usefulness and ... power of the big transportation ...

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The work of electrizing the ... street line will progress as rapidly as possible, but is delayed, as are many of the other enterprises, through the inability to obtain steel and other necessary supplies. Some changes will be made in the route of the old ... railway for the purpose of serving territory in need of better facilities, and to escape some of the heavy grades over which electric cars ... propelled with speed and safety.

PASADENA SHORT LINE.

Grading has been completed ... new line to Pasadena, culverts ... bridges of an enduring character have been put in, and the only ... the completion of the line is the arrival of steel rails and the ... for the bridge at Raymond ... rails can be laid soon after ... rival, and the placing of ... will take but a short time ... pected that this line will be ... tion early in January.

This second line to Pasadena, known as the "short line," ... it is but little more than ... shorter than the present route ... the greater part of its length ... over a private right-of-way, ... speed cars on sixty-pound ... will make a material reduction in running time between Los Angeles and the Crown of the Valley. ... line will diverge the Alhambra ... the grading on which is ... pleted, and the Monrovia ... right-of-way for which is ... tained.

The new Pasadena line ... present line at the County ... corner, passes on the west ... institution, crosses the Southern Pacific tracks at grade, and ... west side of Eastlake Park, ... thence to the old adobe road, ... derings of which it follows ... way to Raymond Hill. The ... the Alhambra line is on the ... tract, and the Monrovia branch ... off at the junction of Monterey ... South Pasadena, passing ... through orange orchards and ... its destination.

RUBIO CANYON LINE.

Within a few weeks passengers ... Mt. Lowe will be taken without change of cars from Los Angeles to Rubio Cañon. The rails on the ... division from Altadena to the ... the cable incline have been ... heavy steel. Curves have been ... nated, and as soon as the new ... this service are received, they ... put in commission. The distance from Los Angeles to Rubio Cañon is ... miles, in which distance ... 2000 feet is encountered. ... son special cars with 100-horse ... motors are to be used, and ... to be fitted with improved ... brakes, an auxiliary rail ... emergency supplementing the ... airbrake.

As announced in yesterday's ... it has been decided to rebuild the ... Mountain House on Mt. Lowe ... the meeting of the directors of the ... Lowe Railway Company, which ... held within two months, it is ... the contract will be let for ... struction of a handsome ... on the site of the old hotel ... burned about two years ago.

NO CHANGE IN TARIFF.

Chairman Payne of Ways and Means Committee Makes This Announcement After an Important Conference.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS ...]

NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—Chairman Payne of Auburn, N. Y., ... the Committee on Ways and Means, has just conferred in this city with Senator Aldrich of Rhode Island, chairman of the Senate Finance ... National Committeeman ... Manley of Maine, Congressman ... A. Grow of Pennsylvania, ...

"Will there be any change in the tariff law at the next session of Congress?" a New York Times ... asked Payne.

"No; in my opinion, there will be no changes in the tariff laws," ... Congressman.

DON'T forget the Del Monte ... royal spread for Thanksgiving ...

CALVE PROPOSES TO ADOPT A GIRL.

Takes Under Her Wing Edna Darch of Los Angeles Who, She Says, "Has One Voice in a Million."

YESTERDAY afternoon will long be remembered by three people in Los Angeles. Those three are Edna Darch, a little girl of this city; her singing teacher, Miss Elisabeth Carrick, and a Times reporter. The memorable event was an hour spent in the society of the great Calvé, who wants to adopt Edna. And this is how it fell about:

The writer had heard little Edna sing and, in common with others who have listened to her, had marveled at the volume and quality of voice possessed by this child of 13 years. Edna is the daughter of poor parents, and all her gifts might perish but for the generosity of Miss Carrick, who discovered her voice, and is carefully training it. The child's desire is to become a great artist. But, alas, in the making of artists money and the interest of a powerful friend are necessary. The first thing was to find the powerful friend. Relying upon the well-known generosity and tenderness of Mme. Calvé, I called at the Hotel Green on Tuesday afternoon, and sent the great singer a letter, telling the story of little Edna and asking her to hear the child sing. I explained that Edna was to give a concert in January in the hope of making a little money to help keep herself in food and clothes; that it was difficult to arouse interest in any child musician, but that if it could be said that Mme. Calvé had heard Edna sing it would

EDNA DARCH.

be easy enough to induce people to attend the concert. Mme. Calvé's immediate response was that she would gladly hear the little girl sing, and made an appointment for 5 o'clock on the following afternoon.

IN A LOVELY TEA GOWN.

On arriving at the hotel yesterday at the time set, we were at once shown to the diva's apartments. Mme. Calvé, dressed in an exquisite tea gown of chameleon blue silk and rare lace, was reclining in an easy chair. Without waiting for her companion, Miss Louise Viller, to make introductions, the distinguished singer rose and came forward, smiling, with outstretched hands. She greeted Miss Carrick and myself first and then turned to the little one, who stood, trembling with awe and excitement, and clutching like a vise the bunch of flowers she had gathered for the cantatrice. With her indescribable graciousness of manner, Calvé took her hands and drew her close.

THE ASSURING DIVA.

"So you have come to sing for me, little one? Yes? Oh, but the hands are so cold! She is afraid, the little girl. You must not be afraid of me, mon enfant. I love children, much—much." And madame bent down and kissed the cheek of the awe-struck child.

"Come, then, we will go upstairs to the piano, and la petite shall sing for me, and she shall not be afraid any more. Come!"

Still holding Edna's hand, madame led the way to the piano, which was in the conservatory-like salon, at the top of the hotel.

It was a picture to be remembered. The dimly-illuminated room, the background of branching palms, seated under the one soft light Calvé with her magnificent beauty and rich apparel, while silhouetted against the white wall stood the little girl in her patched cotton frock, pouring out her great soul in the glorious strains of Schubert's "Serenade."

At the close of the first verse Calvé clapped her hands and exclaimed delightedly: "Good! Good! The voice is beautiful! C'est ravissante—delicious—the tone, the soul, the sentiment! Continues, mon enfant."

These words banished the last trace of timidity from Edna's heart, and she sang the next verse without faltering.

CALVE JUST HUGGED HER.

When she had finished Mme. Calvé rose impetuously and embraced her again, exclaiming rapidly:

"C'est belle! ravissant—magnifique. The little one has such a voice as I love to hear."

"You think that she will be able to sing, then, madame?"

"Sing! She will be an artist—a great artist. She has the voice, the sentiment, the personality. Look at the face. See the eyes, the brow, the profile. Her face would tell me that she is a great artist, even had I not heard her voice. So sure am I that if she had no parents, I would at once adopt her and teach her myself. In three or four years I would make of her a great singer. I shall be in New York for four months. Could the little one come there with her mother, or with me, if her mother would let her go, and study with me this winter? Perhaps I could there arrange a concert where she would make much more money than she can here. How much does she hope to make by her concert here?"

"Possibly $25—not more."

"Twenty-five dollars! The poor little one! It is hard to work so hard for so little. Non, non! It is not enough. Twenty-five dollars! So beautiful a voice. Bring her to me tomorrow and bring the mother also. I must talk with the mother. Perhaps we may arrange something. If the mother consent I will take the little one for my own, and teach her for, maybe, four years, and then—you shall see—you shall see."

A SINGING LESSON FROM CALVE.

Then Calvé seated herself at the piano, and bade Edna sing several scales and exercises to her accompaniment. That is something to be appreciated—a singing lesson from Calvé! But Calvé's graciousness did not end here. At a timidly-expressed wish from the child, she turned again to the piano and sent that divine voice of hers ringing through the room in a grand aria.

When she had finished, and while we were still trying to realise that the greatest artists of the present day had sung for our pleasure, Mlle. Viller ventured to inform her that it was 6 o'clock.

"Six!" she cried, springing up. "What, then, has become of the friends I was to visit at half-past five! Come, then, we must say au revoir; and remember, you are to come tomorrow and the mother also."

THOSE CHAMPAGNE STORIES.

While madame was talking to Edna I asked her companion if any of the papers had been shown to her lately. Calvé, hearing her name, turned and asked what was said. Mlle. Viller translated. Calvé drew herself up like a queen.

"You have seen how they have insulted me! Is it so always in California? Is it thus they insult women here? I have been in every country of Europe and never have such things been said of me. Never! But in America, where they say woman is queen, they insult me with such stories."

It was minutely explained to the offended diva that the fault lay not with America. But poor Calvé found the intricacies of the "yellow press" too much for her French to grasp.

WITHOUT HER MAKE-UP.

Calvé's manner is most winning and gracious. It is a fitting complement to her noble soul and her magnetic and most unusual beauty of face. Her face and throat are of a pure opaque white—a peculiar pallor. She does not "make up" in private. Her mouth is small, the lips finely marked. It is charming when she smiles, for her little white teeth are perfect. Sometimes, in repose, it draws at one corner, as the mouth of a woman who has suffered. The nose is Greek, with that sensitive curve of the nostrils which bespeaks the artistic temperament. The eyes are extremely beautiful—unusually large and of that soft, luminous brown we call Spanish. Her brow is very wide, and her hair jet black. Her expression is at all times noble, commanding, yet gentle and kind. As for the charm of her manner, there are no words that can appropriately describe it. It is Calvé—that is all one can say.

At parting, Mme. Calvé said to Miss Carrick:

"The little one's voice is extremely well placed. I shall never let her forget her first teacher."

It was kind and gracious of her to say it. How many great artists would have remembered to give that generous praise, however well they might think it deserved?

Then Calvé said, "Au revoir," and, with that spontaneous charm of hers, kissed us good-by. To the little girl she said:

"Say your prayers tonight, ma petite, and remember to ask le bon Dieu to make me well."

The little girl, accompanied by her mother, will again visit Mme. Calvé today. Whether the world-famous singer permanently adopts Edna, depends upon the consent of Mrs. Darch.

Mme. Calvé last evening remarked: "I have eighty children, whom I have adopted, at my home in France; but not one singer among them all."

C. LINDSAY SKINNER.

Mme. Calvé leaves for San Francisco this evening. Yesterday afternoon she wired Grau as follows: "Am feeling better. Leave tomorrow evening. Will be in San Francisco Friday morning. Will positively sing Saturday night."

CONVENTION TONIGHT.

Opening of County Sunday-school Association to Be Marked by Grand Concert—Large Attendance Expected.

The Los Angeles County Sunday-school convention will open tonight in the First Methodist Church at 7:30 o'clock. The programme for this service is as follows:

Address of welcome, Rev. Dr. Hugh K. Walker; response, C. D. Meigs; organ solo, A. A. Butler; chorus, "The Heavens are Telling," with trio by Miss Curl and Messrs. Goodwin and Blaney; selection by Methodist Episcopal Orchestra; vocal solo, little Annie Row; quartette, Messrs. Thompson, Lee, Blaney, Knighten; vocal solo, "He Was Despised" ("Messiah.") Miss Matie Williams; "Hallelujah Chorus," with quartette, by Misses Curl and Williams, Messrs. Goodwin and E. H. Miller.

A magnificent chorus of seventy-five voices has been in training for some days for this concert, under the direction of Prof. A. Dobbins, and it is said to be one of the best ever trained in Los Angeles.

The convention will continue through Friday and Saturday, holding three sessions daily, and will close with a mass meeting Sunday afternoon.

C. D. Meigs, who has been holding meetings at various towns since his visit to this city last week, has created great enthusiasm, and the convention promises to be a very large one, as well as unusually interesting.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

Officials of the Western Union Telegraph Company and of the Postal Telegraph Cable Company have refused to grant the request of the Los Angeles, Portland and Tacoma Chambers of Commerce, asking for an extension of the territory at present covered by night rates. This was announced at the meeting of the Chamber of Commerce yesterday. The reason given by the telegraph companies is that the business is insufficient to warrant the request. Communications announcing this decision were referred to the Committee on Commerce.

President Case was authorized to appoint a committee to make arrangements for the annual banquet of the chamber, February 22, 1902.

Some of the exhibits added to the display at the chamber yesterday are apples, by Cyrus Maxwell of West Elisabeth Lake; strawberries, by J. B. Rains of Burnett; strawberry guavas, by C. H. Richardson of Pasadena.

Mr. Hubbard of San Luis Obispo county has placed on exhibition the model of an "airship," which he hopes will revolutionize aerial and all other navigation. Mr. Hubbard has been engaged for a number of years in endeavoring to create an airship which will sail, but his efforts are not taken seriously among those with whom he is intimately acquainted.

BURGLAR HAD COLD FEET.

Barefoot Man Breaks into Two Residences, but Secures Nothing of Value at Either.

Two residences on Twenty-third street were entered by the same burglar before daylight yesterday morning and, although the would-be thief secured an easy entrance to both houses, and could have stolen much of value, he must have been frightened away, for nothing was missed from either place. The first house visited was that of Dr. J. T. Stewart at Twenty-third street and Union avenue. The burglar forced open a window screen and opened the window. He went only into the front room, and let himself out through the front door. The prints of his muddy feet were found on the carpet and porch by members of the family, and the tracks were those of a barefoot man.

The residence of H. Edwards, who lives a few doors east of Dr. Stewart, was next entered in the same manner and similar footprints were found there. It is supposed that some slight noise frightened away the thief. The morning was unusually cold and the fog was heavy, and it is known that he had cold feet.

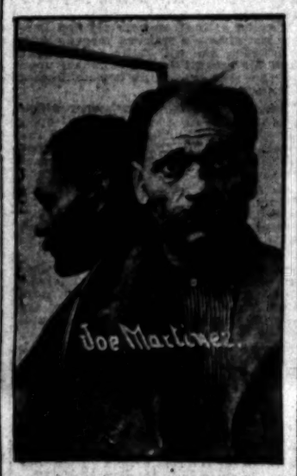
TWO-THIRDS OF LIFE SPENT IN JAIL.

PENITENTIARY FIVE-TERMER IS ON THE CHAIN GANG.

J. Martina, Serving for Battery, Has Been Out of Prison Only for Brief Intervals During the Past Twenty-five Years.

There was discovered yesterday in the City Jail a man 41 years old, who has spent nearly two-thirds of his life in prison. Five times he has served time in a California penitentiary, and his jail sentences are so numerous that he has forgotten their number.

This man is J. Martina, alias Joe Martinez, a native of San Diego, he says. Saturday next he will have completed a six months' term in the Los Angeles bastile, to which he was sentenced after being convicted of battery. He may be released then, but



only in case detectives fail to ascertain that he is wanted somewhere on some charge of which he has never been convicted.

When Martina, who is of German parentage, was only 16 years old, he was sent to San Quentin to serve three years for grand larceny. Since that time he has been sentenced to two, ten, five and four years, respectively, in California State prisons. Four of the terms have been served in San Quentin and one in Folsom.

The charges upon which Martina has been sentenced are larceny, burglary, assault with intent to murder and attempted burglary. His record would probably not have been investigated by the Los Angeles police had he not acted unwisely a few days ago.

Six months ago, when this man was sentenced to the City Jail on a charge of battery, he was assigned to the chain gang.

To local officials and among his fellows on the chain gang he was known as Joe Martinez. He has acted suspiciously of late, and Jailer Conley ordered that he be searched when he returned from work with the gang last night. Two large knives and a number of keys, among them a skeleton, were found in his clothing. The matter was reported to the detectives, and, inasmuch as the prisoner was supposed to be a Mexican, Detective Talamantes was detailed to investigate his case.

Martina insisted his name was Martines, but he could neither speak nor understand the Spanish language. The penitentiary records were searched, and there Talamantes found the prisoner's picture, under the name of Martina. After considerable questioning, the man admitted that he was sailing under an alias, and then he told of his prison record. He declared that he found the knives and keys while working with the chain gang.

IMPERIAL.

IMPERIAL, Nov. 25.—[From The Times' Resident Correspondent.] The Imperial country continues to fill up, more than fifty people having come in last week. Among the recent arrivals in the valley are Wilbur Clark and sister, and their father, from Los Angeles. Clark is building a residence in Imperial, and will at once put in a hardware store. A harness shop and drug store will be put in immediately. The Imperial Mercantile Company will occupy its new business block in Calixico December 1, and it is understood that it will begin work on a like building in Imperial in a few days.

Work on the canals is pushed vigorously. W. W. Master has a large construction camp on the main canal three miles from Imperial. About sixty horses are worked on the lateral to run east of Imperial. This ditch will be fourteen feet across the bottom, and will irrigate a large area southeast of town.

People of the valley are watching with interest developments of the Los Angeles and Arizona railroad, which is to connect the Imperial tract with the Southern Pacific, and to which they confidently look for early traffic facilities, thus connecting the Imperial country with the metropolis of Southern California, and connecting Los Angeles with one of the richest spots of the Southwest.

The wagon road to Old Beach has been completed, and in a short time that point will be the base of supplies for the Imperial country.

F. C. Toumans, aged 28 years, who gives his occupation as a stock broker, is under arrest in Detroit for the alleged embezzlement of $50,000 from the Traders' Bank of Kansas City.

PATRIOTISM AND BEAUTY.

Turkey not the Whole of Thanksgiving.

Good Lessons Taught in Public Schools.

Educational Observance of National Holiday—Flags Up and Graduation.

When a holiday appears on the calendar, it means a red-letter day in the Los Angeles schools.

Thanksgiving is never allowed to pass without an observance designed to inculcate the highest ideals for the day's observance.

The school buildings, always attractive, were doubly so yesterday, owing to many additions to the decorations, and every school in the city had its part in the celebration. Elaborate chalk drawings, commemorative of the custom of giving thanks for blessings past, filled the blackboards in every school. Fruits, flowers and allegories figured in this work, and the pumpkin and the gobbler were never missing. There were many real works of art to be seen, which elicited praise from the many visitors.

In the kindergartens, the little ones made trinkets, sung songs and recited couplets, to impress the lesson upon their immature minds, and in the higher grades elaborate literary programmes were presented. While these exercises differed in detail, they were all in the same direction, and the programme of one was, to all intents and purposes, that of all.

SPRING-STREET SCHOOL.

In all the Thanksgiving exercises none seemed quite so touching as those held in that unique department presided over by the Misses Bennett in the Spring-street building.

About twenty little children, who never heard a sound in all their lives, are their pupils, and who, until they came under the tutilage of these two devoted ladies, had never spoken a word. On the board was written a stanza which contained the great word "Thanksgiving," and around it were drawings of turkeys, pumpkins and other things suggestive of the day, all done with exceptional skill by these laughing little ones.

It was pathetic to see them look intently at the teacher's lips, and then struggle to say the words on the board. One little fellow tried, and tried over again, at that big word "Thanksgiving," and then when his teacher said: "That will do," he laughingly jumped and caught her about the neck. The little words, they speak almost as well as any child. They were told to hide their eyes while the teacher threw a rubber ball on the floor for them to hunt, and somehow or other it always seemed to roll behind an ice-cream freezer that stood in the corner. They all took a look first at the promised sweets, which later on was portioned out to them, and then they scampered to their seats like playful kittens.

In the first grade of the regular course the little tots were making miniature paper models of the "Mayflower" and of the Puritan bonnet.

The exercises in the eighth grade were in charge of the Progressive Literary Society, the following officers being in charge. President, Frank Richards; vice-president, Blanche Wyatt; secretary, Leonora Montgomery. They rendered an extended programme, and had a hilarious time when Editor George Friese read the society paper. It was a nest of good hits at many members of the class.

NINTH-STREET SCHOOL.

One of the best programmes was given at the Ninth-street school, in the seventh and eighth grades. The "Eutopian" and "Philomathian" societies of these two grades had a joint meeting. The hall was handsomely decorated in smilax, and pink and white geraniums. There was an orchestra of eight pieces, and a number of instrumental solos added to the entertainment. The exercises began with the reading of the Thanksgiving proclamation of President Roosevelt, and followed by that of Gov. Bradford, the first one ever issued. Among the other numbers on the programme were a German recitation by Emma Primmersdorf; club swinging by Tessie Tag; "Joe, the Newsboy," a recitation by Clara Williams; "The Drummer Boy of Kent," a recitation, by Frank Gratto. These numbers were all fine and elicited great applause. A wand drill by six boys and six girls, with little Frank Gratto at the piano, was an attractive performance. The wands were decorated with the colors of the two class organizations, and the graceful display created great enthusiasm. The drawing on the blackboards was particularly good in this room.

FLAG-RAISING CEREMONY.

Following the regular Thanksgiving exercises at the Seventeenth-street school there was a flag-raising, in which all the grades had a part. They had secured a 12-foot flag, which was presented to the Board of Education and then hauled up to the mast.

The programme was as follows: "Drake's Address," Herbert Cook; "The Pride of Battery B," Gladys Rich; "Hats Off," Alvin Frank; "The Boy Patriot," Hal Stroup. Presentation of the flag to the seventh grade, Beatrice Postick and Thornton Hack of the first grade; received by Eloise Watson, who responded with "Sumner's Address," and then presented it to the Board of Education. For the latter it was received by G. M. Giffen, who delivered an eloquent and patriotic address. An address was also made by Deputy Superintendent Millard.

A surprise was sprung as the flag was hauled up. As it unfolded, on its upward flight, it sent down a shower of small flags, which fell softly as rose petals, upon the heads of the audience. As it reached the top of the mast, the children gave the usual pledge in these words:

"I pledge allegiance to my flag, and the republic for which it stands; one nation indivisible, with liberty and justice for all."

A second flag-raising took place at Highland Park school, on Avenue 54. There was a very large attendance and the event was honored with the presence of City Superintendent J. A. Foshay, and other school officials.

"What a beautiful place," was the exclamation of a lady visitor, as she entered the door of the Eighth-street kindergarten.

And it was. Almost anybody would like to go to school in such a place. It was flooded with soft light from many shaded windows, hung with handsome pictures and with a mode of bright paper festoons, and with all appointments to make it bright and attractive. Suggestive of its mission, the room was surrounded above the wainscoting with a frieze of flowers, and birds and brownies and stars, and there were handsome chawk drawings on the boards. After the wee-folk concluded their Thanksgiving programme in this fairy palace, the eighth grade took possession and gave an extended literary programme.

One of the most handsomely decorated rooms was that of the second grade. The drawings of flowers, etc., on the boards were exquisite, and a novelty in the decorations was a profuse use of cranberries and popcorn. Over all was brilliant red festoons of paper falling from the ceiling.

OLIVE-STREET SCHOOL.

The eighth grade presented an elaborate programme of literary exercises, and enjoyed the presence of Deputy Superintendent Millard toward its close.

In Miss Griswold's room the B7 and A6 grades exhibited some fine work on the blackboards, and at the close of the literary programme the teacher said she did not wish them to think that turkey was the whole Thanksgiving, and called for the repetition of a recitation bearing upon the spiritual side of the day's observance. She then invited pupils to talk on what they knew about the day as observed in other sections of the country, and there was a spirited rivalry among them, as they recited incidents in which snow played the principal part.

HARMONY SCHOOL.

At Harmony school, on Main street, the Board of Education was represented by Messrs. J. H. Foley, G. W. Simonton, B. Hard and W. A. Henry. Each member addressed the audience, expressing their willingness to assist in obtaining a new school building, which is so greatly needed. Arthur C. Brown, principal of the school, also made a short address, and the pupils contributed vocal numbers to the programme. The attendance was large.

GRADUATION EXERCISES.

The Sisters' Hospital and Training School held graduation exercises yesterday afternoon, at which diplomas as trained nurses were received by Miss Lolita M. Cardona, Miss Mary V. Laffan and Miss Cecelia I. Cushing.

The graduation ceremonies were preceded by the dedication of the new grotto, at which Bishop Montgomery officiated, assisted by the faculty of St. Vincent's College.

Dr. G. L. Hutchinson read an address on the "Advancement in Medicine," and Bishop Montgomery addressed the class of graduates and presented the diplomas.

Vocal numbers were given by Mrs. Hattie Knickerbocker, Mrs. M. J. Shalert and James Burns.

The exercises were followed by a banquet.

CLOSED TILL MONDAY.

All the schools are closed today, and the board has ordered that Friday be also observed as a vacation. The schools will therefore not reopen until Monday morning.

SIXTH WARD CITIZEN DIED YESTERDAY.

BRIGHT'S DISEASE ENDS LIFE OF DR. EDWARDS.

An Exemplary and Patriotic Man, Respected by All Who Knew Him—A Champion of Good City Government and of Progress.

Dr. George R. Edwards, a respected citizen of Los Angeles, died at his home, No. 1179 East Forty-sixth street, at 3:15 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Dr. Edwards was a native of Ohio, and a graduate of the Wooster University. He removed to Los Angeles ten years ago from Topeka, Kan., where his father still resides.

Since living here Dr. Edwards has been known as a public-spirited and patriotic citizen, always intensely interested in the affairs of the city, and a champion for improvement in the section in which he lived. His aggressiveness in this direction led to his nomination as a candidate for City Council several years ago, but he was defeated and never afterward permitted his name to be used, although he continued in the front rank as a worker when the Sixth Ward needed a champion.

He was a man of skill and stood well in his profession as well as in the community.

He died of chronic Brights's disease, and for five months past has been incapacitated for practice.

He leaves a widow and three sons, the oldest of whom recently enlisted in the United States army, and is now at San Francisco awaiting transportation to the Philippines.

The funeral will be held at his late residence at 1 o'clock Friday afternoon, with interment at Evergreen Cemetery.

DR. G. E. EDWARDS.

Crushed Out His Life.

RENO (Nev.) Nov. 27.—A gang of section men was unloading a carload of steel rails at Mill City yesterday when they slipped, and, falling upon the foreman of the crew, crushed out his life and injured two of the crew.

This medicine will restore the appetite, strengthen the nerves, promote sound sleep and cure indigestion, Dyspepsia, Constipation, Flatulency and Malaria, Fever and Ague.

A trial will convince you.

O. C. JOSLEN, M.D. Strictly Reliable.

Diseases of Men....

They are readily curable when treated scientifically. My methods of treatment embody all the knowledge gained in fifteen years' experience as a specialist in men's diseases, and my unequaled record of cures speaks for their scientific correctness. I promptly cure

"Weakness," Varicocele, Stricture, Contracted Disorders, Specific Blood Poison and All Reflex Ailments . . . .

The Cause of "Weakness."

Doctors have supposed they knew the cause and have for years treated entirely upon suppositions. They have employed all sorts of nerves tonics, electrical appliances, etc.; have always failed to cure and have seldom failed to aggravate the cause of the weakness. Prematureness, loss of vitality and lasting sexual power are but symptoms of some damage to the reproductive system caused by injury, by early dissipation or by some contracted disorder. I generally find the location of this damage (in the prostate gland. As this gland is the very center of the reproductive system it is very evident that inflammation or other disorder there, no matter how slight, will surely derange the sexual functions. In my experience there is not a single drug in the pharmacopoia that, taken into the stomach, will benefit this class of cases. My plan of treatment is entirely a local one and prompt results are obtained, as indicated by increased circulation and return of natural vigor.

My office and hospital occupy the entire building of twenty-two rooms over the Wells-Fargo Express office.

My Colored Chart showing the male anatomy is free upon application. Consultation free at office or by mail.

Dr. O. C. Joslen, Cor. Third and Main Streets, Los Angeles, Cal.

TWO GREAT FIGHTERS

Tell How They Were Helped in Their Work by Dr. McLaughlin's Electric Belt, the Wonderful Cure for Weak Men.

TERRY McGOVERN.

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The Greatest Little Fighting Machine the World Has Ever Produced, Says He Was Cured by Dr. McLAUGHLIN'S ELECTRIC Belt.

He says: "For the past six months my back has troubled me more or less, caused, no doubt, by the necessary training that I have had occasion to do. I tried various remedies for the trouble and received no benefit. My attention was attracted to testimonial of Tommy Ryan, who said that Dr. McLaughlin's Electric Belt had cured him, and my business being of the same nature I thought that anything that would cure Tommy ought to help me. I took the first opportunity of speaking to Tommy about the Belt, and after hearing from his own mouth the good the belt had done him I was convinced and immediately got one and had only worn it a week when the results were marvelous. Every sign of soreness left my back and the muscles seemed to get stronger and more elastic. Aside from this it made me feel so good that I think I could tackle a giant and get no worse than an even break. The Dr. McLaughlin Electric Belt is positively the greatest invigorator it has ever been my good fortune to use. You can use the above where and how you like, as I think I am indebted to you more than words can express." Yours very truly, TERRY McGOVERN,
Champion Feather and Bantam Weight of World.

TOMMY RYAN.

Middle-Weight Champion, the Greatest General Who Ever Stepped Into a Ring, Writes from Kansas City, Where He Is Now in Business, His Experience with DR. McLAUGHLIN'S ELECTRIC BELT.

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TOMMY RYAN.

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A TIME FOR THANKSGIVING.

The United States of America, by the grace of God free and independent, has cause for thanksgiving beyond most of the nations of the earth. It is meet and appropriate that on this day, designated by the President and the several State executives as a day of "thanksgiving and prayer," the people should gather in their various places of assemblage and render thanks to Almighty God for the many blessings which they enjoy; for, indeed, these blessings are manifold, and priceless beyond expression.

In all the annals of all the nations no people have ever been prospered as have the people of the United States. Especially have they been prospered during the few years last past. In all branches of industry and commerce our progress has been the marvel—and to some extent the envy—of the civilised world. We have grown in greatness and in prestige beyond the dreams of those wise and strong men who laid the foundations of our government, firmly and enduringly, upon the bedrock of freedom and equal rights.

Today this great, free nation of ours is concededly the most puissant nation on the face of the globe. Not greatest in numbers, it is true, for the hordes of the Orient vastly outnumber us, but greatest and strongest in the true signification of those words; greatest in the ability to maintain our rights and our standing among the powers of the earth; greatest in our capacity for progress, and in our ability to seize the opportunities presented to us; and strongest in our power of concentration, of coöperation, and of acquiescence in the popular will as expressed through the ballot box.

Never within our country's history have the American people been more united than they are today. In this unitedness is to be found one of the principal causes of our strength and our progress. Thus united into a Union, one and indivisible, our federation of States stands before the world invincible. The principles of freedom and equal rights which we have so splendidly exemplified will never perish from the earth. The leaven of liberty is working in the hearts, the consciences and the intellects of the great mass of humanity, and slowly but surely the despotisms of the world are fading away. It is only a question of time when all the world's peoples will be free, self-governing, and equal before the law.

It is a cause for thankfulness that to our forefathers was intrusted the imperative duty and the transcendent honor of kindling these fires of human liberty which shall never be extinguished while the world endures. It is further cause for thankfulness that to us of a later day was intrusted the task and the duty of maintaining inviolate this splendid fabric of popular government, and that the task has been so successfully performed; the duty so well fulfilled.

Into the midst of our thanksgiving today there must come, of necessity, a plaintive note of sorrow as we remember the great and noble American, the broad-minded statesman, the valiant soldier, the true citizen who was with us but so short a time ago, and whose life was so recently laid, a sacrifice of blood, upon the altar of his country. *Strangulatus pro Republica*:—Slain for the republic. But even while we mourn the untimely death of our well-beloved President, William McKinley, we should temper our sorrow with profound thankfulness that he was spared to accomplish so fully, so splendidly, so satisfactorily, the great work to which the voice of his country called him. And let us remember, while we give thanks for our unexampled prosperity as a nation, that we owe much of this prosperity to the statesmanship, the wisdom, the patience, the tact, the integrity, the firmness, the executive ability of that peerless statesman and incorruptible patriot, William McKinley, who rightfully wore the white flower of a blameless life; and the example of that blameless life should lead us to higher planes of citizenship, to clearer conceptions of duty, both public and private, and to renewed faith in our country and its destiny.

It is painfully apparent that the discussion of the Chinese Exclusion Act has caused Minister Wu to lose control of his conversational machinery.

It is sad to contemplate the many forms of diet which the bird will be called upon to go through for the remainder of the week in the boarding-houses around town.

FREE LABOR—THE RIGHT TO WORK UPHELD.

Justice McCarthy, of the Court of Common Pleas in Philadelphia, has just issued an injunction against the council of the Allied Building Trades of that city, forbidding members of the organization or its agents to instigate strikes at buildings where workmen are employed who are not members of or affiliated with that organization. The judge further denied the right of the defendants to order contractors to discharge members of labor organizations that are not affiliated with the Allied Building Trades Council. He also specifically ordered the defendants to refrain from threats, express or implied, to the effect that loss would be inflicted upon employers who gave work to the plaintiffs.

The plaintiffs in the case, as explained in a dispatch from Philadelphia, are "Erdman and others." The dispatch says, further, that "until April 29 the plaintiffs had been employed for many years by a local plumbing firm. Upon the call of a strike the general contractors, Wells & Wells of Chicago, had the plaintiffs removed from a building in course of erection. The plaintiffs were members of the Plumbers' League, an organization not affiliated with the Building Trades Council, and their places were taken by United Association plumbers, who were members of the Building Trades Council."

Here is an opportunity for more fierce tirades against "government by injunction." In this case, however, it will be noted that the applicants for an injunction are members of a labor union, and that they sought and obtained an injunction against another labor organization which had secured their discharge because they did not belong to that particular organization. It thus appears that members of labor unions are not averse, upon occasion, to taking advantage of the much-denounced "government by injunction," when it affords a prospect of relief from injustice or persecution.

Justice McCarthy was undoubtedly right in enjoining the council of the Allied Building Trades and its members from interfering with the plaintiffs or with the firms employing them. But he was no more right in granting the application in question than many other judges have been, who have been so bitterly assailed by Debs and the whole brood of his followers, for taking action similar to that of Judge McCarthy, with the difference that the plaintiffs were employers seeking legal relief from injustice and persecution, instead of other workmen. The principle involved is the same, whether the applicants for relief be employers or employés.

In granting the application of the plaintiffs in this case, the judge merely upheld the principle that every workman has the lawful right to work for whom he pleases, and that every employer of labor has the lawful right to hire whom he pleases, at such wages as can be agreed upon between the parties in interest. He denied, in the same ruling, the right of any organization or individual to use force or intimidation toward employers or employés for the purpose of compelling the former to discharge workmen or the latter to quit employment.

So simple and so fundamental are the principles of right and justice involved in this question that it would seem no man could err therein. Our constitutions and our statutory laws guarantee to every citizen the simple rights above mentioned. This guaranty is in broad general terms which admit of no misconstruction, and not infrequently in specific terms equally lucid as to meaning and intent. But these legal guaranties are violated every time a labor organization, or the individual members thereof, resort to intimidation, the boycott, blackmail, force, or other illegal method to prevent men from working at any lawful occupation wherein they have a perfect right to work, or to prevent other men from employing those whom they have a perfect legal and moral right to employ in any lawful occupation.

Many of our judges have been grossly misrepresented, maligned and insulted for seeking to uphold these fundamental and sacred rights of the individual. The fact that a labor union has asked for and obtained an injunction in a case of this kind shows how absurd is the charge, too frequently heard, that "government by injunction" is for the employer, but not for the employed.

Judge McCarthy granted the injunction in this case because a manifest wrong and a plain violation of legal guaranties had been perpetrated. Similar considerations actuate most judges who grant injunctions in similar cases. The maledictions which Debs and Debsites heap upon the judiciary because of these interventions in behalf of simple and obvious justice, are for the most part wholly undeserved, and only serve to show the narrowness, the pettiness, and the selfishness of those who are guilty of such attacks.

Representative Richardson thinks that the Democracy should join hands with any party in order to accomplish its object. But is there "any party" that wants to be burdened with such a consignment of flighty, unstable, wind-broken, nerveless weaklings?

It has been rumored that King Edward would prefer postponing his coronation until the Boer war closes. It would be an awful strain to subject a feeble old man to, in that case, and nobody knows what the fashions in coronation robes will be years and years hence.

A Syracuse, N. Y., doctor claims he was inspired by angels to write a new Bible, which he calls "Oahspe." Another crank, who would fain obliterate the good old Book, and for whom there is a low seat 'way back at the end of the stage.

The oldest man in the United States has just died again at Utica, N. Y., at the age of 120 years. He chewed tobacco from the time he was 10 years old. If he had let the weed alone he might have lived to be quite an old man.

That Kansas man who has invented an apparatus to prevent snoring had better let some muscular agent place it on the market for him. Some men get mad when you ask them if they are victims of this unpardonable sin.

At a trial in Denver it is reported that whisky was furnished to the jurors in the case. What horrible atrocities they must be committing in that State when the jurors have to be "braced up" to hear the evidence.

A minister in East Orange, N. J., writes novels. As long as his congregation refrains from reading them, however, it is possible that he will not be charged with sowing tares.

Chauncey Depew has still three weeks in which to take lessons in carpet stretching, wood chopping and fire building, besides learning the market prices of groceries, meat and coal.

From the manner in which Gen. Alban continues to drive the Liberals before him, it is quite evident that he and his officers are not hampering their advance by doing the piano act.

The Oxnard Bros. do not intend that their sugar bowl shall be scooped dry by the insertion of too many spoons of a foreign manufacture, if they can prevent it.

Are there any reports, anyway, about those brigands, their captives, the real amount demanded, and the day of settlement, which are ever going to be believed?

Now the brigands are going to wait until snow disappears before resuming negotiations for Miss Stone's relief. These fellows are Bulgarian-Filipinos.

Still, Missionary Stone should be thankful that she has thus far succeeded in eluding the excitable papers and the magazine editors.

Frank Munsey says he has more money than he knows what to do with. But can we stand another edition of libraries?

Is the court of inquiry going to hold Admiral Schley's vindication over and make him a Christmas present of it?

If "A Servant Girl" will send her true name and address to The Times, her communication will be considered.

Philadelphia's dog show has opened with 1200 exhibits, and the usual number of dressmaker's creations.

The Espee and the Santa Fé are both scratching their backs against the same objective point of relief.

Northern New York is buried beneath a blizzard. Oh, for a few of those nice hot days of last July!

Bryan apparently has gubernatorial designs upon Nebraska. Give him rope; he'll soon stretch it.

In that isthmian game of tag it is quite important that Uncle Sam should be "it."

It begins to look as if Magazine Munsey was trying to corner the news market.

And tomorrow we will listen to a few chapters from "The Story of the Doctors."

The man behind the turkey is the paramount issue today.

Philadelphians have already acquitted Admiral Schley.

'Tention, battalion! Charge turkey!

POSTOFFICE BUSINESS.

The following cities in California, according to official returns, lead in the matter of Federal postal receipts for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1901:

	Gross Receipts.	Net Revenue.
San Francisco	$1,075,657.87	$543,570.62
Los Angeles	280,736.15	153,074.90
Oakland	122,452.65	53,773.90
Sacramento	83,942.53	46,716.81
San José	57,219.94	23,267.94
San Diego	39,574.93	17,742.67
Fresno	37,536.75	23,227.13
Stockton	36,201.19	15,343.83
Pasadena	30,678.48	14,468.90
Alameda	28,149.93	12,426.31
Berkeley	21,453.26	4,639.75
Bakersfield	20,835.99	13,229.63
Riverside	20,602.95	8,966.28
Santa Barbara	19,414.17	7,566.66
Redlands	17,363.71	7,145.51

LINER ADVERTISING COMPARISONS.

On Sunday, November 24, the volume and number of classified advertisements printed in Pacific Coast morning papers was as follows:

	No. of Columns.	Separate announcements.
Los Angeles Times	100	32,654
San Francisco Examiner	56	1,314
San Francisco Chronicle	39	1,177
Seattle Post-Intelligencer	47	914
Los Angeles Herald	47	671
San Francisco Call	21	570
Portland Oregonian	14	71

The above shows that the Los Angeles Times, as a clearinghouse for commercial intelligence, is preëminent on the Pacific Coast. The figures speak for themselves. It should be borne in mind that while the circulation of the Sunday Times has increased more than 150 per cent during the last six years the price of "Liners" remains at 1 cent a word each insertion—the rate was adopted in 1894.

TOWED INTO ESQUIMAULT.

VICTORIA (B. C.) Nov. 27.—The bark C. F. Sargent, with coal from Seattle for San Francisco, was towed into Esquimault early this morning, her pumps failing to work when she had shipped a couple of seas.

THE PLAYHOUSES.

LOS ANGELES THEATER. "The Girl from Maxim's," the latest French farce-comedy to be presented here, opens this afternoon at the Los Angeles Theater with a special Thanksgiving matinée. This play certainly has been talked about more than any other play ever brought from gay Paris, and, according to all reports, has outstripped all its predecessors in point of success. But one company is playing the piece, and that is the big one headed by Miss Lena Merville, who has proved immensely popular in the role of the frisky girl from Maxim's, and who seems to have a brilliant future as a comedienne. While "The Girl from Maxim's" is said to be very lively, it is said she will do nothing to offend.

CHUTES. Thanksgiving Day will be observed at Chutes Park with a special programme, the zoo and all the concessions being open, and in the afternoon the celebrated Santa Catalina Marine Band of twenty-six pieces will present a promenade band concert. Last Sunday 2000 persons were entertained by this musical organization, and half that number sat through the entire programme of twenty selections. The regular Chutes entertainments will be given afternoon and evening; the chutes will be running and the Chutes Orchestra will be heard. At night the grounds will be illuminated.

A NOVEMBER PARABLE.

THANKSGIVING AS SHE IS CELEBRATED.

Consider, now, the day before us.

The day of praise and thanksgiving; the day of football and crushed humanity.

Verily, the small boy looketh upon himself in the early morning, and lo, there is a slackness beneath his weskit which is painful to see.

The barnyard turk, which hath spread its tail from the rising of the sun unto the going down thereof,

And partaken of divers fattening properties, is ruthlessly dragged to the chopping block and given it where Angelina wears her fur boa.

And from the highways and byways come the guests unto the feast.

And when they are all assembled around the fatal board,

Verily the man of the house looketh wise, and swingeth his carving knife, preparatory to reducing the bird to its lowest denominations.

Then sticketh he his fork in the breast of the bird, and the guests laugh him to scorn at his painful attempts at surgery.

And the host sweareth below his collar button, albeit he outwardly smileth faintly at the jibes and taunts which are hurled at him by his assembled guests.

And it shall come to pass that one guest shall say unto him:

"Put thy foot on it, old man."

Peradventure, another offereth this sage advice: "Spike it to the table."

Still another telleth him: "Go, bring in the sawbuck and bucksaw, for lo, we are an hungered."

And about the tenth hour the man succeedeth in rendering the bird asunder.

Then shall he say unto the furthermost guest: "Friend, tell me, I pray thee, which portion of yon bird shall be yours?"

And she, being a woman of beanpole stature, shall answer wisely, "Give me, I beg of thee, a leg."

And the next also sayeth unto the host, "Wist ye not that I would fain take a leg?"

The third guest also sayeth, "Yea, a leg for me, also."

And, behold, the host giveth her the merry ha-ha, and asketh the guest if she thinketh that a centipede is being served.

Now, in the fruitfulness of time, when everybody is engaged in wrecking their several portions, there is left on the platter only that portion of the turk which scaleth the gate lastly.

And this is given to the hostess, for the bird is far spent and dessert time is at hand.

Consider, also, the dear little children. They toil and spin not, save on Thanksgiving Day, and yet I say unto you that upon this occasion they make up for lost time.

And they do the disappearing act to the big bird, the stuffing, the cranberry sauce, celery and dumplings.

Certain other divers evils they punish, consisting of unknown quantities of cake, half a dozen kinds of pie and ice-cream galore.

And, lo, the nuts, candy, oranges, apples and bananas they consume are but the forerunners of an early demise.

And about the middle watch of the night behold a cry goeth forth throughout the land.

Lamentations and weeping, and Johnny and Susie mourning for the doctor.

And that functionary appeareth in great haste and sayeth unto those in distress:

"Up, get you out of this, for lo, ye are sorely in need of an emetic."

The stomach-pump also goeth upon an exploring expedition, and a gusher is immediately struck.

And throughout the length and breadth of the land, yea, in even the houses of the rich and poor alike, similar conditions exist.

Wist ye not that these things shall all come to pass, even as recorded.

Yea, verily.

Keep thine eye on the indicator and thy telephone in close connection with the doctor, and ye shall be satisfied.

Alas, and alas! Yea, alas!

E. A. BRININSTOOL.

WINDFALL FOR SMITH.

"I guess some of you fellows are looking for me."

Thus spoke a well-dressed young man, perfectly sober and not the least excited, as he walked up to the clerk's desk at the Police Station at 11:15 o'clock last night. Of course the officers asked why, and this seemed to surprise the young man, but he had gone too far to back out, and decided to tell the rest of his story.

"Yes," he continued, "you want me, for I am worth money to some of you. I am a deserter from the United States Army, and I am simply tired of being hounded by officers."

The young man gave the name of Thomas Dewyer. He said that he had been a member of the Eleventh Battery of Field Artillery, stationed at Fort Hamilton, N. Y. July 4 he grew weary of the monotony of garrison duty and left the post without leave. He made his way westward, tramp fashion, but he always shunned police officers and stayed away from cities in which there are army posts. Every officer he saw he thought would arrest him. He has been in this part of the country for some time, but was not able to secure employment which he liked, and therefore decided to give himself up. His surrender was a windfall for Patrolman A. L. Smith, to whom he was booked, for the government pays a reward of $30 for the capture of each deserter.

The gift of $25,000 by Andrew Carnegie for a public library building in Elwood, Ind., has been accepted with a stipulation that may not be pleasant to the donor. The stipulation is that the building shall be known as "The Elwood Public Library."

STATE SNAPSHOTS.

This is the day we eat and play football.

There's mourning in more than one barnyard today.

The small boy will see his grandmother tonight in all her glory.

The doctors will also keep on their equipage today, ready to respond to emergency calls.

Sacramento has a Chinese doctor who hugs and kisses the girls. Boys, are you being looped by this wily Celestial?

And the football enthusiast will proceed to get rid of a few square yards of cuticle, surplus teeth and handfuls of hair.

Boniface Babcock and his guano gang shot 1500 "birds" at Otay dam one day recently. This will give the fertilizer works an upward impetus.

Monrovia citizens will have clean shirts and socks for another semester; the steam laundry having decided to remain and continue its missionary work.

Santa Paula has also been given the grand shake, but the vibrations were not calculated to impress the residents that they would care for a repetition of the movement.

Mr. and Mrs. Frost of San José, having grown cold toward each other, are asking that the game of "freeze-out" be taken up by the divorce courts, before the ice breaks.

A Tulare fruit man who says he has "apples with worm holes," will hardly profit by such a declaration. Most people prefer their mince meat made of a different article.

A hobo was arrested at San Berdoo wearing a plug hat. It was not the act of wearing a plug hat that caused his arrest, but the fact that it turned out to be another man's dicer.

Up at Montecito the horses are in such terror at the sight of an automobile that the veriest old plug in town cannot be driven without blinders and the cruelest kind of a curb bit.

Mr. and Mrs. Wolf of San Francisco have asked to be put in separate cages in the divorce courts because the male wolf uses his fangs too freely and growls threateningly all the time.

Visalia kodak fiends are trying to organize a camera club. The girls think it would be just lovely—especially the dark-room part, where they can develop their osculatory apparatus.

"I've just got back from hell," remarked a wild-eyed individual to an Oakland cop. He neglected to say how he left things across the bay, however, but it is presumed they were smoking hot.

Because a fourteen-year-old San Berdoo girl struck a railroad torpedo with a hammer, she will retire from public view for several days and reflect upon the fact that experience is sometimes a painful teacher.

The cook of a lumber schooner which was in dock at San Francisco, upon being asked if he was the mate of the vessel, replied with a hiccough, that he was not, adding: "Ol'm th' mon thot cooks th' mate, sor."

It has developed that the thirsty Riversider can get beer to burn in an "establishment" in that town. We thought so. Riverside likes its rations of booze about as well as most of the so-called "dry" towns.

Carpinteria has been corraled by hobos who are stealing the town "blind." It would appear that Carpinteria is in need of a rock pile at which the weary pilgrim may while away his idle moments to good advantage.

A Visalia man has a dog which is said to be able to detect the difference between good and bad money. Can he tell, by grabbing hold of a man's leg whether or not he has a right to take away a mouthful—that's what we want to know?

Two Monterey men went on a "bat" and drank a bottle of wood alcohol in mistake for the real article. Then they went to sleep in a cabin, and the Coroner found them in a condition to be "sot upon," when called out to perform his duty.

A woman ink slinger of Fresno county mailed a poem to a paper down this way entitled "A Flaming Missive," with a request that it be used. The editor wrote back that it had been used, and made things fairly smoke out in the alley.

A bad Pasadena boy stole a bicycle and $10 in cash, and as Pasadena is crying for improvements, why not institute another House of Correction in the town where bad boys appear to be about as thick as punched nickels in a collection plate?

A 'Frisco man died awhile ago who averaged twenty-five drinks of whisky a day. His efforts to banish the stuff were probably well meant, but yet some chaps never pause to think, when they attempt a herculean task, of what the consequences may be.

A Georgetown miner handled seven sticks of dynamite so roughly that they resented the treatment and went off. The man accompanied the sticks, and the Coroner is tramping around through the underbrush trying to accumulate sufficient evidence for an inquest.

A. E. Crum of Bakersfield is an oil-well driller, and also an expert in the use of the pen. Because he attached another man's name to some checks he will do the peek-a-boo act at San Quentin, just as soon as he can be arraigned, as he confesses that he did the job.

Visalia kids are being expelled from school because they "wore red shoe strings; that was all," says the Delta. Well, isn't that sufficient? Imagine a lot of kids racing into the schoolroom wearing nothing but red shoe strings. Why, they deserve to be spanked with a shingle.

A hobo who was arrested in Fresno county gave his name to the Sheriff as Clarence Algernon de Esperanza. The Sheriff will do well to investigate this case before assigning his guest a hammer and a pair of overalls. He may have a titled nobleman in his grasp, who is traveling incognito.

A Fresno doctor of corpulent figure, while climbing out of his buggy at the home of a friend, whither he had gone to attend a party, ripped his pantaloons from Dan to Beersheba. The doctor took in the party, but the reader is left to guess how he extricated himself from his precarious condition.

A "patent medicine" concern has struck Alameda, and the deaf, dumb, lame, halt and blind are crowding around the platform, awaiting the magic touch of the head faker. When a man can't make a living in any other way he can bring the public to him on bended knee by a box of liver pills and an electric-belt proposition.

From One Difficulty Into Another. Mr. Kinburg, who had his eye hurt at Vance's by having a piece of steel get in it, was taken to Eureka by Theorn Yorth Saturday, where the doctors found it necessary to remove the optic. At last accounts he was getting along nicely. He was visited this week in Eureka by his mother-in-law and children.—[Eureka Times.

Who hath mules to sell let him pipe his lay immediately. The Visalia Delta states that mule buyers are chasing all over the State in an effort to corral all of the long-eared, loud-mouthed, breach-loading, center-fire critters. The man with mules on his hands is far more eagerly sought for than he who would fain unload oil stock or Belgian hares on a marketable public.

Captain of Police Thomas J. Diamond of New York was yesterday found guilty of neglect of duty in having failed to suppress disorderly houses in his precincts. He was sentenced to pay a fine of $1000. The fine was paid.

LIFE IN DANGER FROM UGLY ROAD.

LIVES are daily endangered by the neglected condition of Wilshire boulevard in the immediate vicinity of the bridge on that thoroughfare, a few hundred feet east of Rosedale avenue.

On either side of the frail wooden structure which spans a narrow stream there are gullies and ruts in the road. They have been there for a considerable length of time, and although frequent complaints have been made, up to the present time there has been no move on the part of either county or city officials to make repairs.

Two large holes in the road at either end of the bridge are the greatest dangers. On account of these caves, there is but a narrow wagon road at either approach to the bridge, although the road there is comparatively wide. A steep grade leads to the bridge from either side, and horses may at any time step into one of these holes, wrecking the vehicles they are drawing.

Wilshire boulevard is one the principal means of entrance to Los Angeles, and was formerly kept in good repair, even outside the city limits. Many ranchers bring their produce to the city over this road, and they complain bitterly because the road near the bridge has been in such bad condition for so long. Protests have also been made by several citizens of Los Angeles, but all without avail. This ugly piece of road is in the Supervisoral district of E. S. Field, and it is his constituents who are making complaint.

From several hundred feet west of Rosedale avenue there is a steep grade on Wilshire boulevard, running down to the bridge. On account of washouts, the entire grade is uneven and full of small ruts and holes near the top. As the bridge is approached these ruts are deepened and become ravines. In several places the road has sunk, and there have thus been formed cross gutters.

ON A CLIFF.

Close to the bridge the road is not very wide, and on either side there is a steep embankment, the road having been built up. For a hundred feet or more from the bridge the south side of the road is especially rough. It is in such a condition as to be useless for vehicles and they are forced to travel a narrow path on the north side, just wide enough for one wagon and running within a few inches of the ridge of the embankment.

This rough road continues down the grade to a point about fifteen feet west of that structure. There in the north side of the road is a big washout. It is five feet deep, four feet wide and extends from the south edge about seven feet toward the center of the roadway. Running from this hole there is another extending five feet up the grade. This one is two feet wide and from ten inches to three feet deep. At this point the roadway is so constructed that there is a pitch to the south—directly toward this hole—and heavily loaded vehicles, unless carefully guided, will invariably run into the washout.

The bridge is a rickety old affair, partly decayed, its boards covered over with a layer of dirt about a foot deep, which has been washed down from either side of the structure.

At the east end of the bridge, close to the edge and also on the south side of the street there is another deep hole which has been caused by washouts. This is a monster pit for a roadway. It is five feet deep, three feet wide and eight feet long. Dirt from underneath the roadway has crumbled and fallen into the hole until the washout underneath the surface is much larger than the dimensions given. There is a crust of dry dirt about three inches in thickness over the spaces caused by the crumbling, and at any time the roadway for half a foot around the hole may give away.

One side of this large hole is bounded by the end boards of the bridge, which are rotten. In some places these boards have almost given way to the wear of the elements, and again they are perforated with holes.

For more than two hundred feet east of the bridge the south half of the roadway is filled with holes and gutters caused by washouts, so that only a narrow path is left for vehicles.

NEIGHBORS AFRAID.

Of the many complaints which have been made, that of O. Wills of No. 400 Alvarado street is an example. In speaking of the conditions mentioned, he says:

"The adage, 'A stitch in time saves nine,' seems applicable to the bridge on Wilshire boulevard. Complaints are numerous as to the unsafe condition of the approaches, which are said to be full of holes and especially dangerous to those who drive over the road after dark. I only voice the sentiments of many residing in the southwestern suburbs, in requesting the city and county officials to grant us as good roads as is consistent with an equitable expenditure of city and county street and road funds."

PERIL HERE.

There is another serious defect in Wilshire boulevard—also a menace to life—at the intersection of that thoroughfare and Commonwealth avenue, more than a mile east of the bridge. At that point half of the roadway has been washed out, leaving a deep hole which has become a dumping ground for tin cans and rubbish. The edge of the roadway is gradually crumbling into the hole and the road is thereby becoming narrower every week.

Should heavy rains prevail during the coming winter it is highly probable that a ravine will be cut through the entire boulevard, from north to south. Running under this thoroughfare is a drain which leads to a narrow ravine draining the Westlake district. Heavy rains have washed out the dirt carrying with it a part of the edge of the drain, and now there lies in the bottom of a big hole at the side of the road an inlet and a number of tiles formerly used as a part of the waterway.

Around this washout there has been placed a weak railing of boards. A part of this has been broken away, the very apex of the washout—where it meets the street—there is an unprotected opening fifteen feet wide and both sides of the hole this cement coating has been broken and shattered, and great blocks of it are now lying in the bottom of the hole.

Most of the damage done at this point was caused by the heavy rains of the last fall and winter. Like the roadway on the bridge, the dirt has been gradually crumbling away until now the street is a pitfall. A heavy rain, accompanied by a washout, would render the thoroughfare completely impassable, and cause damage which it would cost thousands of dollars to repair, while a small expenditure at the present time would remedy the entire evil.

RAILROAD RECORD.

HAIL WITH JOY THE RETURN OF HAYS.

HE IS VERY POPULAR WITH PATRONS OF GRAND TRUNK.

Charms of Southern California Cause General Manager Reeve to Gladly Retire So That He May End His Life in Quiet Happiness.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MONTREAL, Nov. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The return of Charles M. Hayes to the Grand Trunk Railway system as second vice-president and general manager, is hailed with much satisfaction by the business and traveling public. When Hays first assumed control of the railway in 1896, the affairs of the system were in very bad shape, but by energy, perseverance and judicious management, he raised the standard of the road to a state of efficiency hardly second to any of the lines on the continent. That policy stood for economy, concentration, firmness, rapidity of judgment and action, and immediate control of all the threads of interest, and influence over the vast system, with its United States affiliations.

No man is more satisfied with the change than General Manager Reeve himself. When he took hold of the management he made it a condition that he would not retain it for more than two years. He had retired from public life, having purchased a ranch in Southern California. But when Hays left the Grand Trunk last year, he reluctantly consented to take the position, and he met Hays in New York before the latter's departure for Europe, and urged him to resume control of the Grand Trunk.

Reeve will now sever his connection with the railway January 1, when Hays will assume control. He will go to California, and spend the remainder of his life in retirement.

BETRAYED HIS TRUST.

Carl Hoffman Arrested on a Charge of Selling Canal Commission's Report to the Newspapers.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—Carl H. Hoffman, who was employed as a stenographer by the Isthmian Canal Commission at Washington, was arraigned before United States Commissioner Shields today, charged with stealing government papers. He agreed to return to Washington to stand trial.

SPECIFIC CHARGE.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—The specific charge against Hoffman is that on the 19th day of November he stole the final report of the Canal Commission to President Roosevelt. When the complaint was read Hoffman did not answer, but when the commissioner asked him if he wished to waive examination he nodded, and he consented to go back to Washington.

It is alleged that when the commission made reports Hoffman struck them off on the typewriter. It is also alleged that he struck off more duplicates than were needed, and would sell them to such newspapers as would buy them. He, it is alleged in the complaint, had two extra copies of the final report of the commission. Up to the time he was taken to the Ludlow street jail, he made no admission, and had nothing whatever to say.

HAVANA AND CUBA SOLD.

President Disposes of His Fine Span of Horses to a Wealthy Resident of Oyster Bay.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

OYSTER BAY, Nov. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] It was reported here today that the President had sold his fine team, Havana and Cuba, to Percy Travers of New York; price not stated. Travers is reported as saying he bought the horses because he did not want to see such a fine team as the Oyster Bay. He has a handsome country place here.

The horses have not been used since the President's family left for Washington. The President, it is said, sent word some time ago to Seaman, who has charge of his residence here, to dispose of the team, and the announcement of the sale is the first that has been heard about it. The horses are both finely bred, and attracted much attention here.

St. John's Bazaar.

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, December 3, 4 and 5.

The women of St. John's Church will hold their eleventh annual Bazaar in St. John's Hall, corner Adams and Figueroa streets, on the above dates. Bazaar opens each day at 10 a.m. and closes at 10 p.m. A large and varied assortment of useful and fancy articles and up-to-date art work, suitable for the Christmas holidays. Every endeavor will be made to give value and satisfaction to patrons. Admission free. Hot dinner each evening from 5 to 8 o'clock for 25 cents; last evening, menu chicken, 35 cents. The annual bazaars of St. John's Church have attained a standard of success and excellence unsurpassed in the State. Every one invited to visit the bazaar. Refreshments each afternoon and evening at reasonable prices.

Thanksgiving Day services at St. Paul's Church (Episcopal,) corner Adams and Figueroa streets, will be: Celebration of the Holy Eucharist, 7:30 a.m.; choral morning prayer with sermon by the rector, 10:30 a.m.; subject, "The Hand of God in the History of the Nation." Strangers cordially invited. Grand-avenue cars to Adams street. Fine large vested choir. Rev. B. W. Ball, rector.

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CRUDE STORY, CRUDE SPOTS.

Those "Blood Stains" Washed Out.

Chemist Declares They are Petroleum.

Amusing Collapse of an Alleged "Clew" in Downey Murder Mystery.

Some innocent spots of crude oil on the discarded rags of a meandering hobo have led one of the Los Angeles newspapers to the discovery of a great clew to the Downey murder.

Just as soon as it can be positively established whether the wayfarer accumulated the spots by leaning against the hub of an oil wagon or by stumbling over a derrick, an arrest will be made.

Meanwhile the enterprising journal that ferreted out this mystery dilates with horror. Reporter sleuths have been sent to the scene of action in mad haste at dead of night. Unhappy Henry Reich, at the Nine-Mile House, was dug out of bed at the witching hour of midnight to escort the amateur detective force out to his back yard where the grewsome exhibit lay. With awe they gazed upon the oil-stained panties and an old jumper, rent and torn and daubed with the frightful stains of crude petroleum.

"Ah, if that old jumper could but tell its story," sighed one of our contemporary's sleuths. But the other only mumbled, thickly, "blood, blood, blood."

Link by link they forged the chain of evidence until it was all over but selecting the rope, and making out the list of those to be present—oh, yes, and finding the hobo.

ENTER WICKED HOBO.

The tragedy was discovered on Tuesday. On the Sunday preceding, a wicked-looking—oh, an awful wicked-looking hobo came to Reich's place and got a job. He said he had been working in the oil fields.

He left the place about 2 o'clock and returned later in the afternoon, only to leave again before supper on some mysterious pretext. Keen-scented reporters discovered that he went that night to the camp of a woodchopper, a Mexican named Florentine, in the river bottom, and stole his clothes.

The next day, just after dawn had duly dawned, the tramp came back to the house of Reich, wearing a different suit of clothes. He said that morning at breakfast time, "I have money; I will pay for my breakfast.

Any one of our contemporary's detective force would have known at once from his tone that he had just murdered in cold blood a man and his wife and child about six miles away and a little to the south of east. Reich only knew that he must have dug up dough some place.

The tramp only worked there for a few minutes; he couldn't stand the disgrace. After he had gone they found in an outhouse this tell-tale suit of clothes, all spotted and soaked with dark and suspicious-looking spots. The story "leaked out;" perhaps it would be more proper to say dripped out.

There is no doubt in the world, as the aforesaid sheet has wisely intimated, that this must be "the feller what did the murder."

SMOOTH AS "ILE."

He is one of the craftiest, not to say greasiest, murderers that ever was.

The murder was committed Saturday night, but in order to turn away all suspicion, he didn't set out on his dread mission to do the foul deed until the day after.

The affair of the clothes is only another exhibition of the foxy ingenuity of this rare "find."

Instead of stealing a change of clothing to cover his oily signs of guilt, he changed his bloody clothes the day before the murder instead of immediately after it. Many murderers would have waited until they had done the deed before disposing of their blood-soaked clothes.

NOTHING TO IT.

Maj. George Gard, who investigated the matter yesterday, says that there is absolutely nothing in the "discovery." He says that the "blood spots" were found by a chemist to be oil, and that the Mexican denied that his clothes were stolen; the tramp came there and swapped hats with him without his knowledge or consent. That was all.

All of which goes to show the shortcomings of sleuths who have not had the advantages of a training under our contemporary.

All information and oil-soaked clothing will please be forwarded at once, if not sooner, to the aforesaid contrumpery's office.

The tramp was a man, and had a middle-aged growth of beard on his face. Reich did not like his face—specially on Monday morning.

DEADLY PLANCHETTE.

The detective bureau of our contemporary has a keen rival.

With a deadly planchette, a Pasadena woman has made the mystery of the Downey murder read as plain as an open book. At a seance of her own the other night, she made the thing go. As its predictions have come true on several previous occasions, the spectators were deeply impressed.

Under her fingers, it fastened the guilt on poor Bud Lewis. It even described the exact way that he did it.

It said that after committing the murder, he went out the side door and turned to the left, running 150 feet, and there burying the bloody clothes he wore.

NO ARRESTS YET.

Still no arrests have been made in the Downey murder case.

John Foster, upon whom the suspicions of the detectives rest, worked around his place yesterday just as though nothing had happened. But he was not alone, for a detective watches him every minute of the day and night, and notes his every movement.

Foster's men were haying, and he was fiddling around a place he owns near by. Early in the morning, he had a long conference with Constable Roemer of Downey.

The only thing that he has to say to the general public is that the detectives and newspaper reporters are eating his apples, and he wants them to stop. The suggestion seems appropriate.

LATEST USE FOR HAT PIN.

Woman Attempts Suicide by Jabbing One in Her Breast.

May Clark, who says she came here last week from San Francisco, and admits she is not May Clark, tried to end her life in a novel manner on Fourth street last night at 10.30 o'clock.

She had been drinking and had a row with an unknown male companion at Fourth and Broadway. She said she would kill herself and the man seized her, but she took a hat pin from her head and stabbed herself.

The woman was taken to a rooming-house on Second street, near Los Angeles, and given surgical attention. Three stabs were found in the left breast, much too high to reach the heart. She was in a state of collapse from pain and whisky.

ENTERPRISING YOUNG THIEF.

Negotiated for Purchase of a Restaurant, Secured a Day's Receipts and Then Left Town.

The detectives have learned that Manuel J. Silva, alias Sois, who was arrested Tuesday night at Santa Barbara at the request of the Los Angeles officers, is a much-wanted young man. There are two charges against him here, and he has confessed his guilt. He came here several weeks ago and pretended that he desired to purchase several restaurants. Then he began looking for a lady cashier, and found one to his liking. He visited her room during her absence, and stole her watch. At another room he got another lady's gold watch. Then he departed for Riverside, where he was successful in securing a sum of money by working a shrewd scheme.

He went to the owner of a restaurant and offered to buy the place, giving such good references that the restaurant man thought he meant business, and agreed to his terms. Silva secured possession of the restaurant, the owner agreeing to wait one day until the money could be sent from Los Angeles. During that day Silva did a big business. He sold goods cheaply and attracted quite a trade. At night he pocketed the day's receipts and locked the place. Then he pawned the two watches which he had stolen in Los Angeles and departed. The restaurant owner saw him no more and complained to the authorities, who had been looking for him until Sheriff Stewart of Santa Barbara picked him up as he stepped off a train from Los Angeles.

The San Francisco police would also like to interview the young man. They have a warrant for his arrest on a charge of felony embezzlement.

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37 Cows and Heifers, one Bull. One mile north La Mirada, 2½ east of Norwalk, on the Vaughn Ranch, Friday, Nov. 29, at 10 a.m.

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SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

Arrangements have been made by City Attorney Mathews whereby no expense will be incurred by the city in marketing the big water-bond issue.

Government health reports received yesterday contradict the assertion of Gov. H. T. Gage that bubonic plague never existed in San Francisco. Terrible tale of plague ravages.

The amount of tax redemptions shows a prosperous condition of affairs about Los Angeles.

Much opposition has developed to the license ordinance passed by the Council.

Attorney George A. Skinner of Riverside began suit yesterday against the Whittier and Kern River Oil Company for damages in the sum of $1500 for alleged misrepresentations in inducing him to become assistant secretary of the company for at least six months and then dropping him before the expiration of the contract.

John Heinrichs, the young man who picked pockets at the Soldiers' Home when the President visited that institution in May, pleaded guilty yesterday and was sentenced to three years in the penitentiary at San Quentin.

Judge Shaw disposed of a lawsuit yesterday involving the enormous sum of $2.23.

The West Adams Heights Association incorporated yesterday, with a capitalization of $200,000, of which amount $140,000 has been subscribed. Frederick H. Rindge and H. E. Huntington are interested in the project.

Brother appeared against brother in the Police Court yesterday, resulting in the acquittal of the accused and the airing of a very unsavory mess.

AT THE CITY HALL.

NO COST INCURRED IN BOND DELIVERY.

CITY ATTORNEY HAS SURPRISE UP HIS SLEEVE.

Arrangements Made Whereby the Marketing of the Water-bond Securities Will Be Without Expense to the City—Letter from the Commercial Investment Company.

In concluding the arrangements for the sale and transfer of the $2,000,000 water bonds, City Attorney Mathews reserved a very pleasant surprise for the members of the Council. It did not come to light until yesterday that in perfecting the sale such terms have been arranged that the city will be put to no expense in marketing the issue.

As is well known the terms of the agreement by which the Commercial Investment Company of Duluth and the Trowbridge & Niver Company of Chicago secure the bonds provides for the delivery of the securities in New York City. Until yesterday it was thought that the city would be obliged to pay the traveling expenses of a representative, together with whatever insurance had to be paid on the bonds and the money. Such is not the case, however, and the city will absolutely secure par and accrued interest for the issue, not one cent being deducted for any incidental expenses to which the city is put.

This happy consummation was secured by the City Attorney entirely apart from the main agreement for the sale of the bonds, and will result in a considerable saving to the city. When asked to state the circumstances yesterday, the City Attorney said:

"The law provides that the bonds shall bring par and accrued interest, and the Council, acting under advice from this office, refused to consider the payment of a bonus for the sale of the bonds. In order that the city may receive the full amount of par and accrued interest at the conclusion of the transfer of the securities, it was necessary that provision be made for the payment of whatever incidental expenses are incurred in settling the negotiations. An agreement to this effect was secured apart from the agreement for the sale of the bonds, and the city will therefore not have to spend a cent to complete the transaction."

If present plans are followed, the transfer of the bonds to the eastern syndicates in New York and the payment of the $2,000,000 into the city treasury here will occur at precisely the same moment.

Yesterday the City Clerk completed and furnished the City Attorney with a complete record of the final proceedings taken by the Council for the sale. This official record, properly certified, will be forwarded to Dillon & Hubbard, in order that they may soon draft their final opinion on the bonds. The original opinion will be furnished the bond buyers with the securities.

The bonds, engraved by the United States Mortgage and Trust Company, are now between Chicago and this city, and are expected to arrive either today or tomorrow. They will be partly signed here and then forwarded to New York in charge of one of the city officials. Just who will go East to represent the city has not yet been determined, but the City Treasurer is most likely to be selected.

The following self-explanatory letter was received by the City Attorney yesterday from G. A. Elder, secretary and treasurer of the Commercial Investment Company:

CHICAGO, Nov. 23, 1901.

W. B. Mathews, City Attorney—Dear sir: I wish to thank you, as well as the City Clerk and other officials, for the prompt way you have acted in accepting our bid for your water bonds. Owing to the present condition of the money market, it has not been any too easy to finance a deal of this size, especially as the money is liable very soon to all go West. Money is harder to get for $2,000,000 of your bonds than it would be for $10,000,000 here or East.

There is no doubt but what your interest in the matter has saved your city from $20,000 to $40,000, and I am very glad to be able to have been of assistance in helping you, and am very glad to be able to get the bonds taken at this rate. As I wired you tonight, I shall return home this evening, being in Duluth Monday. Would suggest that you wire me when bonds are ready to ship, as I may wish to suggest some things in reference to their shipment.

I dare say it will be several days before you have them ready, even if they are now executed, and possibly, too, you would prefer to ship them through several banks rather than one, and if so it will make no difference to us.

Again thanking you for your good offices, I am very truly yours,

G. A. ELDER.

HEALTH REPORT.

GOVERNMENT STATISTICS.

In the public health report of the United States Marine Hospital Service, issued under date of November 15, a copy of which has just been received by the local health office, is much information of general interest. The prevalence of smallpox throughout the United States and the fearful ravages of the plague in Asia are the chief features of the report.

Despite the downright assertions of Gov. Henry T. Gage that there has never been any plague in San Francisco, the government report finds that there have been fifteen cases in the Bay City since July 6, 1901, all but three of which resulted fatally. The last case reported was found on October 30. Plague in the United States was confined to the fifteen cases cited, which, so far as known, were confined to the Chinese population of San Francisco.

From June 28 to November 15, there were thirty-eight cases of smallpox reported from California, with one death. Of these cases San Francisco had twenty-two, one of which resulted fatally; Los Angeles thirteen and Oakland three.

The light character of the disease is shown by the large number of cases and the few deaths. Colorado had 548 cases and no deaths; Illinois, 143 cases and no deaths; Indiana 323 cases and six deaths; Kansas, 706 cases and four deaths; Minnesota, 2030 cases and 14 deaths; North Carolina, 504 cases and 1 death; Ohio, 3461 cases and 42 deaths; Tennessee, 2155 cases and 94 deaths.

The total number of smallpox cases from thirty-five States and Territories was 14,153, of which 470 resulted fatally. In 1900, for the same period, the total number of cases in the United States was 4895 with 95 deaths.

Extensive statistics showing the prevalency of the plague are given in the report. Dispatches for the current month show that the dread disease is reaching out to all parts of Europe, Africa and Asia. Both Liverpool and Glasgow report cases, as well as the following cities: Naples, Italy; Alexandria and other cities in Egypt; Island of Mauritius; Port Elisabeth, Cape Colony, South Africa; Smyrna, Arabia; Odessa, Russia, and many cities in India.

From June 28 to November 15 the ravages of the plague are reported in Africa, Australia, Brazil, China, Egypt, England, France, Hawaiian Islands, Italy Japan, Paraguay, Russia, Scotland and Turkey. How deadly the plague is in these countries is shown by the reports from India, where the plague has reaped a ghastly harvest. In Bombay, from May 12 to October 5, there were 3072 cases with 2055 deaths. Only eighteen persons out of 3000 escaped with their lives. A similar showing comes from every city where the plague exists, although in some cases the percentage of deaths is not as high. In every instance, however, the number of deaths is over 50 per cent. of the cases reported. Through the consular offices of the United States nearly 75,000 cases of the plague are reported from all parts of the world for the period covered by the report.

To the mind of the physician the statistics show conclusively that the medical world has triumphed in dealing with smallpox, but that the sovereign remedy that will rid humanity of the plague is yet undiscovered.

MONEY PLENTY.

TAX REDEMPTIONS.

During the last two months the tax redemptions have been unusually heavy. This is considered a good indication of the general prosperity now prevailing in Los Angeles. In hard years property is sold for taxes to the city, and the delinquent citizen is allowed five years in which to redeem it by the payment of prescribed penalties. As a matter of fact, the laws are now in such condition that tax redemptions are made on property sold eight years ago.

During October the number of redemptions was 427 and for the current month the number already amounts to 368. For filing out the redemption certificate the City Clerk charges a fee of 50 cents, which is paid into the treasury, together with the amount of the tax and the added penalties.

The amount received by the city from this source since October 1 is $5341.25.

LICENSE ORDINANCE.

MAYOR MAY VETO MEASURE.

While Mayor Snyder apparently was undecided when he left his office yesterday, whether he would sign the license ordinance or not, two Councilmen stated later that he had decided to veto it. If this should prove to be the case it will bring solace, if not relief, to many people who are protesting strongly against the measure.

It is probable that the Council will pass the ordinance over the Mayor's veto, as only one of the Councilmen voted against it when it was presented. Only six votes are required, and more than that number of Councilmen still favor the ordinance.

Councilman Bowen stated yesterday that he is still in favor of the measure and does not see how it could be improved. The complaints that have been made were anticipated, says Mr. Bowen, and were bound to come, no matter what kind of license ordinance was passed.

Nearly the entire morning was given over by the Mayor to listening to the complaints of those who are affected by the proposed ordinance. Oil men object strenuously to the payment of $12 a year on pumping wells, in addition to the regular taxes that are levied each year. Almost every branch of trade that is affected has an objection of some kind to make.

A representative of any of a dozen different callings could show you yesterday that his branch was taxed heavier than any other in the city.

It is asserted by some that they will never pay the license, and that it can easily be proven that the measure is class legislation.

To Widen Hoover Street.

A petition was filed with the City Clerk yesterday, signed by H. L. Gordan of No. 133 West Adams street, asking that Hoover street between Seventh and Pico streets be widened and opened for public use. The street is now about 25 feet wide, and the petitioner suggests that as this portion of the street is shortly to be used for street-railway purposes it should be widened to 50 feet.

Petitions in Bankruptcy.

Two petitions in bankruptcy were filed in the United States Courts yesterday. Harry Armstrong, a farmer of Pomona, pleads to be declared insolvent because his liabilities amount to $9255.17, and his assets to $550.

The general merchandise firm of Gentry Bros. of Temecula, comprised of H. V. and I. H. Gentry, estimates its liabilities at $1194.28 and its assets at $100. The chief articles of personal property enumerated that are not attachable are four mules, "a black mule 9 years old named Colonel, a mouse-colored mule named Fanny, a white mule named Chalk and a brown mule named Beck." Old Chalk is worth only $50, while the rest bring $75 each.

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AT THE COURTHOUSE.

OIL-BOOM VICTIM BEGINS A LAWSUIT.

WANTS A COMPANY PUNISHED FOR ALLEGED FRAUD.

Riverside Lawyer Gets Himself for a Client and Pursues Whittier and Kern River Company for Luring Him from His Practice.

George A. Skinner, Esq., a Riverside lawyer, is hot on the trail of the Whittier and Kern River Oil Company, and yesterday he brought suit in the Superior Court of this county for damages in the sum of $1500, alleging fraudulent representations. The other defendants, besides the company, are its organizers, L. Butman and Fred K. Weeks.

Skinner's alleged damage lies in the fact that he was induced to become assistant secretary of the company.

The Whittier and Kern River Oil Company was incorporated during the early part of last year. Butman and Weeks, largely interested in the financial success of the venture, are alleged to have pretended that their company owned the northwest quarter of section 17, in township 28, range 28, in Kern county, and forty-nine acres near Whittier. These representations, says Skinner, were made to him in June, 1900, to persuade him to become assistant secretary at $50 a month, with a prospective raise after six months, besides 2000 shares of stock, then held at 25 cents per share. The lands held by the company were said to be very valuable for their oil prospects.

It was in June that Skinner took the secretaryship; in the following November he was jobless—"the bottom having fallen out of the company," as his complaint puts it. Now he swears that all of the company's representations about values and things were false. He asks for $1000 damages for the wrongs done him in the premises, and $500 punative damages as a moral corrective to the defendants. He is acting as his own attorney in the action just begun.

GETS THREE YEARS.

HEINRICHS PLEADS GUILTY.

John Heinrichs, the young fellow who distinguished himself last May by getting his fingers into Presidential-party pockets at the Soldiers' Home and has lain in the County Jail ever since, under two charges of grand larceny, pleaded guilty yesterday, and was sentenced by Judge Smith to three years in the penitentiary at San Quentin.

On his way back to jail Heinrichs could not keep back the tears.

It will be remembered that his jury had been selected on Monday, at which time adjournment was taken until yesterday to allow him opportunity to plead guilty. In pleading guilty, he admitted having relieved one C. E. Corwin of a purse and money valued at $10. He also touched a cook named S. Gage for an oyster-soup receipt and money aggregating about $20. It is also stated that he did three other jobs at the Soldiers' Home in honor of the President. One of his victims was Secretary James Wilson. Another was Charles A. Moore, president of the American Protective Tariff League, who was the President's special guest, and who detected and captured the thief.

While a sentence of three years may be considered light for so many serious offenses, it is to be recalled that Heinrichs, who says his age is 22, pleaded guilty, and the State has had difficulty in rounding up important witnesses. The authorities at Washington did not consider the matter of enough importance to allow Secret Service Detective Foster, who guarded the person of the President, and is supposed to have seen Heinrichs do his foxy finger acts, to attend the trial. Foster stated last May that he had followed Heinrichs along the route at various points so frequently as to attract his attention, and put him on his guard.

Secret Service Agent Cronin informed the court yesterday that the Treasury Department was willing to acquiesce in any disposition of the matter that was satisfactory to the State.

Heinrichs represented himself to be the sole support of two sisters, whom he has been educating. He says his home is in New York City. The impression was loaned by his attorneys yesterday that the boy had never been actually guilty of pickpocketing, but served a band of slippery experts by standing on the edge of crowds and receiving stolen goods.

SMALL SUIT.

NOT THREE DOLLARS IN IT.

Insignificant as are some of the suits disposed of in the Superior Court, Judge Shaw settled one yesterday involving $2.23.

"I think it is the smallest matter I ever tried," said he.

It was a street-lien case.

The plaintiff in the action was J. Hein, who was suing Michele Cassano for work done in the improvement of the street at the corner of Sixth and Wall streets. As is well known, abutting property-owners must share such expenses pro rata. Cassano's pro rata was $2.23. But he wouldn't pay it. Several years ago, it seems, long before the streets were curbed or sidewalked in that section of the city, Cassano procured the adopted grades, and did the street work around his place—a corner lot—at his own expense. The owners on the other three corners were not asked to contribute a cent. More recently, however, the city ordered work done on the other three corners, and, when the pro rata was cast up, Cassano was debited with $2.23. Judge Shaw decided in a moment that the claim was not a just one.

INCORPORATIONS.

NEW REAL ESTATE PROJECT.

The West Adams Heights Association, with principal place of business in Los Angeles, incorporated yesterday for fifty years, with a capital stock of $200,000, divided into $100 shares, of which amount $140,000 has been subscribed. The association proposes to deal in all or any portion of that tract of land bounded by Washington, Normandie and Adams streets and Western avenue. The directors are Frederick H. Rindge, $28,000, Santa Monica; H. E. Huntington, $14,000, San Francisco; Hulett C. Merritt, $14,000, Frank S. Wallace, $7000, Pasadena; John R. Haynes, $14,000; Charles R. Drake, $7000; M. H. Sherman, $7000, A. J. Wallace, $14,000, Lee A. Phillips, $7000, George I. Cochran, $14,000, all of Los Angeles; Charles H. Howland, $14,000, Inglewood.

The Vulcania Mining Company incorporated yesterday. Its principal place of business is Los Angeles, and its capital stock is $150,000, divided into $1 shares, of which amount $25 has been subscribed. The directors are R. N. Walton, Charles T. Howland, T. J. Durand, Oliver W. Zane and H. Napier, all of Los Angeles.

COURTHOUSE NOTES.

BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.

NIGG CRAZY. Fritz Nigg, a native of Switzerland, who is 43 years of age, was adjudged insane yesterday and ordered committed to the asylum at Highland. Nigg suffers from a religious mania. Last Sunday night at the First Methodist Church in this city he fell to praying and had to be arrested and removed to the County Hospital.

NEW CITIZEN. Roland M. Amour, a native of Canada, was naturalized by Judge Trask yesterday.

CLARK DIVORCE. Grace A. Clark was granted a divorce from D. A. Clark by Judge York yesterday on the ground of cruelty.

PAYNE TO STAY. Dissatisfied fruit growers in the Duarte-Monrovia district have recently attempted an agitation against W. H. Payne as Horticultural Commissioner, but resolutions reached the headquarters of the Horticultural Commission yesterday from the Monrovia-Duarte Fruit Exchange approving the official actions of Payne. "No, Mr. Payne will not be removed," said President Robinson yesterday. "His actions have our fullest approval. He is one of our best inspectors." The November report of the commission shows an expense account of $654.05—salaries, $554.25; other expenses, $97.53.

NEW DIVORCES. Divorce suits were filed yesterday by Mary E. Robinson vs. Dobman Robinson, Augusta E. Reichert vs. John N. Reichert and Mary C. Faulkner vs. Robert H. Faulkner.

THE INFERIOR COURTS.

BROTHER ALPHONSE AND BROTHER JOHN.

EACH ACCUSES THE OTHER OF BEING A BAD MAN.

Alphonse's Prosecution of John Acts as a Boomerang—Unsavory State of Affairs Brought to Light as the Result of Fraternal Discord.

Brother appeard against brother in the Police Court yesterday, and when the smoke of battle had cleared away, the originally accused brother stood acquitted, while the prime accuser limped away under the scourge of judicial displeasure. Incidentally a tale of social depravity was brought to the surface which brought condemnation upon the head of the complaining witness in the case.

John Van den Daele, a grim-visaged Belgian, but lately arrived in America, was on trial for disturbing the peace. The complaining witness was his younger brother, Alphonse Van den Daele, a dapper little Belgian, who has resided in Los Angeles for some years, and whose reputation is anything but an savory one in police circles. Alphonse is a denizen of the half-world, and is said to derive considerable revenue from the scarlet women who inhabit the dens of vice in Little Paree.

Alphonse's sleek and prosperous appearance was in marked contrast with that of his roughly-clad elder brother, who sat in the prisoner's dock. No one would have suspected that the men were brothers, had they not confessed that such was the case.

Alphonse, upon taking the witness stand, related in broken English that he brought his brother to America, recently, at an expense of $300, and gave him employment, in the hope that he might better his condition. John worked for him for several weeks, but about three weeks ago suddenly threw up his job and went into the country. Tuesday afternoon he returned to Alphonse's residence at Ducommun and Amelia streets, and began to berate the latter with most vulgar and profane language. He made threats to kill and mutilate Alphonse in a shocking manner, and accused him of keeping a baudy house, all of which hurt Alphonse's feelings very much. John's outbreak attracted a crowd of men, women and school children, and continued until Deputy Constable Pinschower came along and placed him under arrest, after a somewhat exciting chase. For this ebullition of temper, Alphonse thought his brother should be severely punished.

Alphonse's testimony was corroborated by a very comely and faultlessly-attired "Deutsches machen," who posed as Alphonse's pianist. The witness could speak only German, and Deputy Constable Fritz Brakesuhler was sworn in to interpret her testimony. In all respects she had the appearance of a chaste, refined and well-educated young German woman, in spite of the fact that she was employed to thump the piano in a very questionable quarter. It developed during the trial that she was a graduate from the Conservatory of Music in the city of Cologne, and had been but recently imported to this country by the enterprising Belgian, Alphonse Van den Daele, to ornament his establishment on Ducommun street.

Several other witnesses, both male and female, testified that they heard John and Alphonse conversing in a loud and boisterous manner. Both were excited and John, especially, appeared to be very violent, but as the conversation was carried on in the Flemish language, they (the witnesses) were unable to say what was the occasion of the trouble or the nature of the compliments that were exchanged.

It was not until John Van Den Daele went on the witness stand to testify in his own defense that the case became really interesting. The defendant spoke through Officer Hiriart, who translated his Flemish into the vernacular of the court, with promptness and precision. John admitted that his brother had assisted him to this country, but after he had arrived here he soon discovered that his brother's purpose was to get him to send for his wife and daughter, 18 years old, for the purpose of prostituting them. Auguste offered him $2 a day, he said, if he would give his consent to placing his wife and daughter in cribs in the red-light district. This so disgusted him, he said, that he quit his brother's employ and went to Sierra Madre to seek work.

"Yesterday I came to town," said the witness, "to look after a machine for filling toy balloons, that I have at a hotel on Ducommun street. My brother saw me and called me over to his place. Then he called me lazy and said if I had come to him for money I couldn't get any. I asked him to pay me for the work I had done for him, and he said he wouldn't give me a dollar until I consented to sell my wife and daughter to him.

"I have a good wife and daughter and would not degrade them so," continued the witness; then he broke into a violent fit of weeping.

"He brought that girl over here and put her in a bad house," said the witness, pointing to the blue-eyed piano player. Then it was the German girl's turn to weep. With tears streaming from her eyes and sobs welling from her bosom, she started for the door to escape the glances centered on her, but Alphonse caught her by the arm and led her back to her seat, where she continued her weeping.

There was a decided sensation in court as the uncouth defendant and the gazelle-eyed damsel when he accused his brother of debauching, commingled their tears. At this juncture, Deputy District Attorney Beebe, who was conducting the prosecution, jumped to his feet and stated that under the circumstances he did not feel like asking the court to convict this man. Justice Morgan replied that unless there were other witnesses to testify against him than the "gang" that had been heard, he would be inclined to give the defendant the benefit of doubt. At any rate, he continued, he believed the defendant's testimony was worthy of more credence than that of his accuser.

Mr. Beebe had no further evidence to offer, and the court brought the trial to an abrupt end by finding the defendant not guilty and ordering his discharge.

This unexpected denouement did not please Alphonse. He made his way to the front and told the court that his refined piano player was a nice lady, and he wanted the court to issue a warrant forthwith for the arrest of his brother for detracting the character of the young woman. His prayer was unheeded, and the Cologne conservatory girl was led away weeping, while John Van den Dacle, whom his brother denounced as a criminal who had done time in the old country, left the courtroom rejoicing.

Blind Horse Ate Apples.

Because a blind horse ate a lot of apples which were in James Hayes's wagon in J. M. Brownett's corral on San Pedro street, Brownett is defending himself against a charge of disturbing the peace. The apples were eaten in the dead of night. Hayes was awakened from a sound slumber by the racket caused by the predaceous equine. He rose from his bed and called Brownett to look after the horse and to pay for the apples eaten. Some colored people living in the vicinity alleged that Brownett was moved to profanity by the occurrence, and that his boisterous language disturbed the peace of the neighborhood. Brownett entered a general denial at his trial in Justice Morgan's court yesterday, and Hayes generously assumed the blame for the loud talking, but denied that it was of an offensive character. The case was continued till Friday for the hearing of more testimony.

Hadn't Time to Be Guilty.

E. Coberly and George Brown had a little difficulty over a harness trade which cost them $3 each. When asked to plead guilty or not guilty, to the charge of disturbing the peace, in Justice Morgan's court, Brown said:

"I don't know whether I am guilty or not, Your Honor, but I dare say if an officer hadn't appeared on the scene so promptly, I would have been guilty sure enough, in a very little while. Coberly and his gang were looking for trouble, and I was prepared to make it interesting for them."

As Brown confessed intent before the fact, he was held equally guilty with his antagonist, and fined accordingly.

Three of a Kind.

Harry Wigton, Bert Sweeney and Fred Edwards were arraigned before Justice Austin yesterday on the charge of disturbing the peace by engaging in a brawl at First and Los Angeles streets. Wigton and Edwards pleaded guilty, but Sweeney stood trial, which speedily resulted in his conviction. The trio are to be sentenced Friday morning. Wigton also has a charge of robbery pending against him.

Arizona Man's Difficulty.

William Hill, a well-dressed tourist from Benson, Ariz., en route to San Francisco, was fined $25 yesterday by Justice Morgan for running amuck in the tenderloin district with an ugly dirk, with which he threatened to kill a denizen of the "cribs." Too much red liquor was what caused him to do it. He pleaded guilty to the charge of carrying a concealed weapon.

Another Barber Fined.

Juan Diaz, proprietor of a barber shop on San Fernando street, was fined $10 by Justice Morgan for practicing the tonsorial art without a license from the State Barber Commission. His excuse was ignorance of the law.

Police Court Notes.

C. Kerns and W. O'Brien were fined $5 each by Police Judge Morgan yesterday for drunkenness. They are also to be tried next Saturday on the charge of battering a Chinaman.

Charles Stavnow, a merchant, was fined $10 by Justice Morgan yesterday for obstructing the sidewalk in front of his place of business with bales of goods.

A. W. Banister and M. McCray were fined $1 each for riding bell-less bicycles.

Justice Morgan yesterday held Feliciano Hernandez to answer to the Superior Court for stealing a bicycle.

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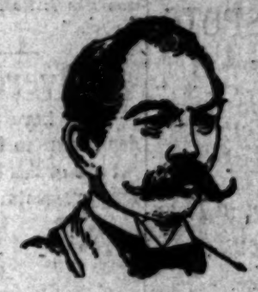

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Mr. Harry Ziegler, 558 Stephenson st., Los Angeles, Cal.
Mr. Louis Barnes, 737 East Eighteenth st., Los Angeles, Cal.
Mr. Nick Schles's son, 977 Adobe st., Los Angeles, Cal.
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Mr. C. E. Judge, 423 West Tenth st., Los Angeles, Cal.
Mr. T. J. Smith, 1900 Central ave., Los Angeles, Cal.
Mr. Ed. Smith, 105 San Pedro st., Los Angeles, Cal.
Mr. Frank E. Smith, 1107 San Pedro st., Los Angeles, Cal.
Mr. J. W. Hilton, 120 East Seventeenth st., Los Angeles, Cal.
Mr. Albert Necholl, 348 San Pedro st., Los Angeles, Cal.
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Mr. Peter Cuccio, 934 Birch st., Los Angeles, Cal.
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Mr. M. Reider's child, 113 East Ann st., Los Angeles, Cal.
Mr. Martin Olsen, Sierra Madre, Cal.
Mr. C. Fingerler's son, Whittier, Cal.
Mr. M. Boisserans, Yorba, Cal.
Mr. Heber S. Breitigam, Arteaia, Los Angeles, Cal.
Mr. Fred Anderson, Glendale, Cal.
Mr. James Barlow, Rivera, Cal.
Mr. Pirre Escalle, La Crescenta, Cal.
Mr. Hugo H. R. Asplund, Avalon, Catalina Island, Cal.
Mr. Seaton Eddy, Avalon, Catalina Island, Cal.
Mr. Ed. McDonald, Soldiers' Home, Los Angeles, Cal.
Mr. C. Miller, Santa Ana, Cal.
Mr. Joe Harris, Santa Ana, Cal.
Mr. Frank C. Buffington, North Ontario, Cal.
Mr. Louis Gaillard, San Pedro, Cal.
Mr. John Patterson, care Dr. Weldon, San Pedro, Cal.
Mr. Sebern Steel's son, Compton postoffice, Cal.
Mr. Andrew J. N. Keating's son, Bonita Meadows, Los Angeles, Cal.
Mr. William Britton, Burbank, Cal.
Mr. R. F. Allen, 534 Victoria st., San Bernardino, Cal.
Mr. Henry Schwalm's son, San Bernardino, Cal.
Mr. P. Johnson, 762 E st., San Bernardino, Cal.
Mr. A. J. Krueger, The Palms, Cal.
Mr. Victor Athenour, 1116 South Second st., Ocean Park, Santa Monica, Cal.
Mr. Giovanio Gabvatti's son, 123 Canon Perdido st., Santa Barbara, Cal.
Mr. Joe Dover, Santa Barbara, Cal.
Mr. Joseph Wylie, Santa Barbara, Cal.
Mr. Earnest Tapie, Santa Barbara, Cal.
Mr. Michel Lavy, Santa Barbara, Cal.
Mr. Ed. Griffith, Santa Barbara, Cal.
Mr. E. M. Pyle's son, Santa Barbara, Cal.
Mr. Charles A. Smith's son, Goleta, Santa Barbara, Cal.
Mr. H. M. Shiller, Hueneme, Cal.
Mr. W. H. Giddings, New Britain, Conn.
Mr. C. H. Knox, care Wells Fargo & Co., San Francisco, Cal.
Mr. H. Kaplan, 250 Franklin st., San Francisco, Cal.
Mr. J. J. Fisher, Prescott, Ariz.
Mr. H. C. Murmister, Prescott, Ariz.
Mr. J. B. McCormick, Nogales, Ariz.
Mr. Davie Finnie, Williams, Ariz.
Mr. J. H. Patterson, address Pristas, Sonora, Mex.
Mr. J. F. Sullivan, 235 Elm st., Illinois.
Mr. Wm. Martin, 1009 North 6th St. Louis, Mo.
Mr. I. D. Harmon, Albuquerque, New Mexico.
Mr. Juan Duco, Isaforga, San Antonio, Texas.
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THE ORANGE MARKET.

Special and Authentic Quotations by Telegraph

CITRUS FRUITS IN THE EAST.

NEW YORK AVERAGE PRICES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] There will be no sales Thanksgiving Day. Twelve cars of oranges and five of lemons have been sold in three days. The market opened strong Monday, but showed weakness the next day, especially seedlings, which are in competition with Florida and Jamaica. Well-colored fancy navels should do fairly well in the latter part of the week. Receipts moderate; extra fancy navels, large, averaged 4.03; extra fancy, regulars, 3.44; fancy averaged 3.20; choice, 2.75@3.01; extra fancy seedlings, regular, 2.05; small, 2.16; fancy, 2.00@2.38; choice, 1.70@2.30. Bulk of oranges showing fair color were in good demand. Fancy California lemons, large sizes, extra fancy, 300s, 3.67@3.79; 360s, 3.02; fancy, below grade, large, 2.40; 300s, 2.60; 360s, 2.35; choice 300s, 2.40; 360s, 2.77. Twenty-six hundred barrels Jamaica oranges averaged 2.60; considerable waste; 3000 bright Floridas, 2.68; 400 russets, 2.45. Weather very cold; thermometer 24 deg.

BUSINESS.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

OFFICE OF THE TIMES,
Los Angeles, Nov. 27., 1901.

FINANCIAL.

TREASURY SURPLUS. Under competent management the surplus coming month by month into the treasury need not disturb the business of the country. The government is still heavily in debt to the people. It is as desirable that the government be out of debt as it is that a firm, corporation, or individual should be so. Secretary Gage is taking excellent care that the accumulation of funds does not interfere with business. He purchases bonds, gets the debt reduced and keeps the money in circulation. The prosperity of the country is argument enough that business is in no wise suffering from paying the tax.

COMMERCIAL.

PIG STICKING. The Cincinnati Price Current says: Hogs are moving into market very freely. Total western packing, 575,000, compared with 490,000 the preceding week, and 475,000 two weeks ago. For corresponding time last year the number was 415,000, and two years ago 480,000. From November 1 the total is 985,000, against 765,000 a year ago, an increase of 220,000. The quality is generally fair, but a considerable portion of the offerings are of light weight, and deficient in lard-producing quality. Prices are lower, averaging $5.45 per 100 pounds for prominent markets, compared with $5.70 a week ago, $5.90 two weeks ago, $4.75 a year ago, $3.95 two years ago.

The speculative market for provisions was fairly active the past week. An easy tone prevailed early in the week, but at the declines there appeared to be a good demand, and values close practically the same as a week ago for the leading articles at Chicago. The supply of hogs continues liberal, and prices are considerably lower for the week, but this feature has less influence on the market than in the recent past. The strength shown by the corn market has considerable effect on the market for products. The lowering of the average weight of hogs had some steadying influence. Sellers were not inclined to press their offerings, and while the domestic and foreign demand was only moderate prices were maintained. The report of stocks of provisions on hand was another feature of interest. The figures were smaller than the trade expected. The export clearances of product were moderate, showing a slight gain as compared with the corresponding week last year.

RICE CROP. Those best informed as to the rice crop are reducing their estimates of the yield of the Louisiana and Texas crop to 2,250,000 sacks; recent estimates were of a crop of from 2,500,000 to 3,000,000 sacks.

FRUITS AND NUTS. According to figures prepared by the New York Customhouse, stocks of figs in bond on November 1, numbered 1,024,525 pounds, against 1,285,064 pounds on the same date in 1900. Stocks of raisins were 722,155 pounds, against 803,986 pounds on the same date last year. Of almonds, all kinds, stocks were 453,296 pounds, against 639,960 pounds on the same date in 1900.

GENERAL BUSINESS TOPICS.

THE CHANCES IN SMALL TOWNS. There is a general idea that if you want to do any on[illegible] account of business you must get into a big town. It seems to be a mistake. Last week we visited a town in Kansas that has not over four hundred people. In that town is a firm that has a store room fifty feet wide by one hundred and fifty feet long. There are two stories filled with a stock that would invoice $50,000. The firm carries a full line of dry goods, groceries, hardware, farm implements, and buggies and carriages. The county-seat town has four or five thousand people, but there is not a store in it that carries the stock carried by this firm in the little town of four hundred people and there is not a firm in the bigger town that is making as much money. The firm in the small town consists of a father and two sons. When the father started in business he had no capital. All this great business has been built up in the small time. The explanation is that the running expenses are less in the little town than in the bigger one. There are no city taxes to pay and no competition. The merchant in the large town has to meet lively competition and high taxes if he owns his store room or if he doesn't own the room he has to pay a stiff rent. The small town is a good, rich country. The farmers in that region are well fixed and the losses from bad accounts are small. The father and his two boys have grown rich and are satisfied to let well enough alone.—Topeka Merchants' Journal.

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There are two sides to this, and there will be found many merchants fighting to keep the duty on. It has greatly improved the quality of the tea sold in the American market.

CITRUS-FRUIT SHIPMENTS. There were shipped from Southern California Tuesday thirty carloads of oranges and eleven of lemons. The total shipments for the season, November 1, 1901, to date, are 398 carloads, of which 164 were lemons.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKETS.

Dried fruits are firmer in all situations. There is some movement of remnants held here for months which are now going East. Small lots of fancy grades are firm in the local market.

Nuts of all kinds are steady to firm. The Southern California walnut crop is about all gone.

Potatoes are very firm, and onions are higher.

Celery and cauliflower are active. Prices are steady.

Lemons are still going East freely. The California fruit has won its way in eastern markets, and sells away above imported in the auction rooms.

Oranges are in good demand in eastern account.

In car lots oranges sell at $2.25 per box for fancy and lemons at $2.50, f.o.b. California.

Apples are in excellent demand and firm.

The holiday trade has taken freely of cranberries at $11 per barrel.

Barley and barley hay are in good demand and firm.

Butter is steady. Cheese is firm.

Eggs are firmer, local particularly so.

Beans are firm for all kinds. Pinks are most active.

Poultry has been rather neglected, turkey being the thing in demand. Local live birds have sold at 17 cents, and eastern dressed at 12½ to 14 cents in a jobbing way.

No changes have been reported in cured meats excepting lards, which have been marked up a fraction.

Dried Fruits, Nuts and Raisins.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, evaporated, choice to fancy, 7½@8; apricots, 10@11; peaches, fancy, 7½@8; choice, 7@7½; pears, fancy evaporated, 8½@9; plums, pitted, choice, 7½@8; prunes, choice, 4@5; fancy, 6@7; dates, 5; figs, sacks, California, white, per lb., 6@7; California, black, per lb., 5@6; California, fancy, layers, per lb., 6@7½; imported Smyrna, 8.

RAISINS—Fancy Clusters, per box, 3.00; London Layers, per box, 1.60@2.10; loose, 4¼@4⅞ per lb.; Seedless Sultanas, 8@10.

NUTS—Almonds, paper-shell, 14; softshell, 13; hardshell, 11; Brazils, 14@16; filberts, 13@14; peanuts, raw, eastern, 6½; roasted, 8½; California, choice raw, 5½; California, fancy raw, 6; California, roasted, 7@7½; walnuts, softshell, first grade, 10½@11; hardshell, first grade, 9½@10; pinones, New Mexico, 7.

Potatoes, Onions and Vegetables.

POTATOES—Per ctl., new, choice to fancy, 1.65@1.75; fair to good, 1.35@1.50; sweets, 75@1.00.

ONIONS—New, per ctl., 2.50@2.75.

VEGETABLES—Beets, per cwt., 50@65; cabbage, 90@1.00; carrots, 50@65 per cwt.; green chiles, 3@5 per lb.; dry chiles, per string, 90@1.00; lettuce, per doz., 20; parsnips, 1.00@1.25 per cwt.; green peas, 4@6; radishes, per dozen bunches, 15; string beans, 5@6; turnips, 85@90 per cwt.; garlic, 6@6½; tomatoes, 60@75; asparagus, per lb., 15; celery, per doz., 25@50; cauliflower, per doz., 50@60.

Fresh Fruits and Berries.

LEMONS—Per box, choice to fancy, 2.50@2.75; green, 1.50@2.00.

ORANGES—Navels, 2.00@2.50.

LIMES—Per doz., 1.00.

COCOANUTS—Per doz., 90@1.00.

PINEAPPLES—Per doz., 4.00@5.00.

GRAPE FRUIT—Per box, 1.50@1.75.

STRAWBERRIES — Per doz., common, 7@8; fancy, 9@10.

APPLES—Good to choice, 1.25@1.75.

BANANAS—Per bunch, 2.00@3.00.

CRANBERRIES—Per bbl., 11.00.

Hay and Grain.

BARLEY—Mill price, 85.

OATS—Jobbing price, 1.35@1.40.

CORN—1.45.

HAY—New barley, 8.00@10.00; alfalfa, 8.00@10.00; loose, 7.00@9.00.

WHEAT—Mill price, per cental, 1.00@1.15.

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

BUTTER—Fancy Board of Trade creamery, per square, 60; southern creamery, 57½@60; dairy, 52½@55; Coast creamery, 57½.

EGGS—Per doz., fresh ranch, 33@35; eastern, 25@27.

CHEESE—California, Downey or Anchor, per lb., 15½; California, Young America, per lb., 16½; California, 3-lb. hand, per lb., 17½; Coast, full cream, per lb., 13½@14; domestic Swiss, per lb., 17@17½; imported Swiss, per lb., 27; Edam, fancy, per doz., 9.50; Martin's New York cream, per lb., 15½@16; Wisconsin, full cream, per lb., 15½@16; Magaw, 15@15½.

Beans.

BEANS — Pink, 2.90@3.00; Lima, 5.50; Lady Washington, 3.75; white, small, 4.00@4.10.

Live Stock.

HOGS—Per cwt., 5.00@5.50.

CATTLE—Per cwt., 3.75@4.00 for prime steers; 3.00@3.25 for cows and heifers; calves, 4.50@5.00.

SHEEP—Per head, wethers, 4.00@4.50; ewes, 3.00@3.50; lambs, 2.00@2.50.

Poultry.

POULTRY—Dealers pay live weight for stock in good condition: 10@11 per lb. for poultry; ducks, 8@9; for turkeys, 14@17; geese, 8@10.

Fresh Meats.

BEEF—Per lb., 6½@7.

VEAL—8@10.

MUTTON—Per lb., 7½; lamb, 8.

PORK—Per lb., 9.

Flour and Feedstuffs.

FLOUR—Per bbl., local extra roller process, 2.80@3.00; northern, 3.60; eastern, Pillsbury's Best, 5.00; other brands, 3.75@4.50; graham flour, 1.50 per 100 lbs.

FEEDSTUFFS — Bran, per ton, 20.00; rolled barley, 18.00; cracked corn, 1.50 per cwt.

Provisions.

HAMS—Per lb., Rex, 13½; Gilbert, 11½; picnic, 9½@10½; Winchester, medium, 13½; do., light, 14; Premium, 14½; skinned, 14½@15½; 49'er, 13½@14; Gold Band, 15.

DRY SALT PORK — Per lb., clear bellies, 11¼@11¾; short clears, 11¼@11¾; clear backs, 10¼@11¾.

DRIED BEEF—Per lb., insides, 15@17½.

PICKLED BEEF—Per bbl., 16.00; rump butts, 17.00.

PICKLED PORK—Per bbl., Sunderland, 22.00.

BACON — Per lb., Rex breakfast, 14@14¾; mild cured do., 13@13½; special fancy, 16; bacon backs, 13½; Winchester, medium, 13½@14; light, 15; Empire, 16½; Premium, 17½; 49'er, medium, 14@14½; light, 15; Gold Band, 17½.

LARD—Pure, per lb., Silver Leaf, tierces, 11⅞; 50-lb. tins, 11⅞; 10s, 12¼; 5s, 12⅜; 3s, 12½; Rex, tierces, 11¼; 10s, 12¼; 5s, 12⅜; 10s, 12¼; 5s, 12⅜; 3s, 12½; White Label, tierces, 11⅛; 50s, 11⅛; 10s, 12¼; 5s, 12⅜; 3s, 12½.

Honey and Beeswax.

HONEY—Per lb., in comb. frames, 11@12½; extracted, 5@6.

BEESWAX—Per lb., 21@23.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

SHARES AND MONEY.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—There was a good deal of hesitation about speculation on the Stock Exchange today. There were a number of conspicuous advances, which failed to attract any considerable following or to reflect any marked influence on the general list. The selling pressure, however, was not acute. There was moderate realizing whenever the strength of the market permitted, but it was not urgent, and was not pushed at the expense of values. The bears made an attack on the market late in the day, encouraged by the manifest hesitation of the buying, and succeeded in reducing the price level considerably, especially at points where it had been advanced in the morning. The strong stocks were influenced apparently by individual causes, and their movement was not accompanied by any news to explain it. Sugar was actively traded in all day and was lifted an extreme of 3⅛ points. Manhattan maintained its recent aggressive strength, and advanced two points further. General Electric added 7½ points, but lost all but one point of the gain before the close. The recent severe pressure against Amalgamated Copper was relaxed, and that stock rallied 1⅞, after reacting to a shade under last night, but became comparatively steady above that. The quieter tone of this stock was a relief to the whole market, and the violent break in the copper market in London and the heavy selling of Rio Tintos in Paris did not seem to affect it. There were various other points of strength among minor railroad stocks in the group of coalers and southwesterns, and a large demand for Southern Railway preferred lifted it at one time 1⅜. New York Central was under pressure at different times on account of the failure of developments in the rumored Vanderbilt plan at yesterday's meeting of the directors. There was more or less speculation based on rumors that the President's forthcoming message was to take strong ground for the Federal control or restriction of great corporations, including the Northern Securities Company. There was some revived apprehension of further gold exports, induced by the further recovery in foreign exchange, the hardening of money rates in London, and the renewed decline in sterling exchange at Paris, of which developments go to intensify the pressure on New York for gold. The expressed confidence of Berlin financiers, according to cabled reports, that further gold was to go from New York to that point was also a disquieting influence. The announcement that the United States Steel Corporation syndicate was returning to its subscribers the 12½ per cent. of their subscriptions actually paid in, which amounted to $25,000,000, did not affect that corporation's stock, which maintained their recent stability. The advance of prices of railroad bonds was irregular. Total sales, $3,290,000. United States bonds were all unchanged on the last call.

Closing Stocks—Actual Sales.

Atchison	80½	So. Railway	34⅞
Atchison pfd	10[illegible]	So. Railway pfd	94[illegible]
Baltimore & Ohio	106⅞	Texas & Pacific	41⅞
B. & O. pfd	9[illegible]	T., St. L. & W.	19
Canadian Pacific	114⅞	T., St. L. pfd	34½
Canada Southern	88⅞	Union Pacific	100⅞
Ches. & Ohio	49	Union Pac. pfd	90⅞
Chicago & Alton	36⅞	Wabash	2[illegible]
C. & Alton pfd	77⅞	Wabash pfd	40
C., I. & L.	49	Wheeling & L. E.	18⅞
C., I. & L. pfd	74⅞	W. & L. E. 2d pfd	31
C. & E. Illinois	138	Wis. Central	2[illegible]
Chicago & G. W.	23⅞	Wis. Cen. pfd	43⅞
C. & G. W. "A"	78⅞	Express Co's—	
C. & G. W. "B"	47⅞	Adams	190
Chicago & N. W.	211⅞	American	207
C., R. I. & P.	147⅞	United States	90
Chicago Ter	20	Wells-Fargo	180
Chicago Ter. pfd	36½	Miscellaneous—	
C. C. C. & St. L.	96⅞	Amal. Copper	80⅞
Colo. Southern	15⅞	Am. C. & F.	29⅞
Colo. So. 1st pfd	58	Am. C. & F. pfd	8[illegible]
Colo. So. 2d pfd	27⅞	Am. Linseed Oil	18
Del. & Hudson	174½	Am. Lin. Oil pfd	40⅞
D., L. & W.	24[illegible]	Am. S. & R.	45⅞
Denver & R. G.	40	Am. S. & R. pfd	9[illegible]
D. & R. G. pfd	94⅞	Anaconda M. Co.	33⅞
Erie	42⅞	Brooklyn R. T.	6[illegible]
Erie 1st pfd	7[illegible]	Colo. Fuel & I.	92⅞
Erie 2d pfd	59⅞	Con. Gas	220⅞
Great N. pfd	182½	Cont'l Tob. pfd	115
Hocking Valley	63⅞	Gen. Electric	276
Hock. Val. pfd	81⅞	Glucose Sugar	49½
Illinois Central	140⅞	Hocking Coal	19⅞
Iowa Central	3[illegible]	Int'l Paper	20⅞
Iowa Cen. pfd	76⅞	Int'l Paper pfd	76⅞
Lake Erie & W.	73⅞	Int'l Power	91
L. E. & W. pfd	130	Laclede Gas	90⅞
Louis. & Nash	106⅞	Nat'l Biscuit	42⅞
Manhattan L.	137⅞	Nat'l Lead	18⅞
Met. St. Ry	167⅞	Nat'l Salt	40⅞
Mexican Central	23⅞	Nat'l Salt pfd	82
Mexican Nat'l	14⅞	North American	92
Minn. & St. L.	107⅞	Pacific Coast	75
Missouri Pacific	103⅞	Pacific Mail	43
M., K. & Texas	26⅞	People's Gas	99⅞
M., K. & T. pfd	53	P. Steel Car	42⅞
N. J. Central	180	P. S. Car pfd	86
N. Y. Central	171⅞	Pull. Palace Car	216
Norfolk & W.	56⅞	Republic Steel	14⅞
N. & W. pfd	91⅞	Rep. Steel pfd	69⅞
North. Pac. pfd	99⅞	Sugar	123
Ontario & W.	36⅞	Tenn. Coal & I.	60⅞
Pennsylvania	150⅞	Union Bag & P.	15
Reading	50⅞	Union Bag pfd	72½
Reading 1st pfd	81⅞	U. S. Leather	12⅞
Reading 2d pfd	54⅞	U. S. L. pfd	82⅞
St. Louis & S. F.	52⅞	U. S. Rubber	16⅞
St. L. 1st pfd	81½	U. S. R. pfd	51½
St. L. 2d pfd	72⅞	U. S. Steel	42⅞
St. Louis, S. W.	28⅞	U. S. Steel pfd	92⅞
St. L., S. W. pfd	58⅞	Western Union	91⅞
St. Paul	165⅞	Am. Loc. Co.	30⅞
St. Paul pfd	190	Am. Loc. Co. pfd	88⅞
Southern Pacific	60⅞		

Total sales for the day, 739,400 shares.

Bond List.

U. S. R. 2s reg	108⅞	L. & N. Un. 4s	102½
U. S. R. 2s coup	108⅞	Mex. Central 4s	81⅞
U. S. 3s reg	108⅞	Mex. C. 1st Inc	31⅞
U. S. 3s coup	108⅞	M. & St. L. 4s	105
U. S. n. 4s reg	139⅞	M., K. & T. 4s	100⅞
U. S. n. 4s coup	139½	M., K. & T. 2ds	81
U. S. old 4s reg	112½	N. Y. C. 1sts	105⅞
U. S. old 4s coup	113⅞	N. Y. C. G. 3½s	109⅞
U. S. 5s reg	107⅞	N. J. C. Gen. 4s	131½
U. S. 5s coup	107⅞	N. P. 4s	105⅞
Atchison, Gen. 4s	103⅞	N. P. 3s	73⅞
Atchison, Adj. 4s	96⅞	N. & W. Con. 4s	102⅞
B. & O. 4s	104	Reading Gen. 4s	99⅞
B. & O. 3½s	97	St. L. & I. M. 5s	116⅞
B. & O. Conv. 4s	106⅞	St. L. & S. F. 4s	96⅞
Can. So. 2ds	104⅞	St. L., S. W. 1sts	97⅞
Cen. of Ga. 5s	106⅞	St. L., S. W. 2ds	80⅞
C. of G. 1st Inc	73⅞	S. A. & A. P. 4s	88⅞
C. & O. 4½s	107⅞	So. Pacific 4s	94⅞
C. & A. 3½s	84⅞	So. Railway 5s	121
C., B. & Q. n. 4s	95⅞	T. & P. 1sts	120⅞
C., M. & St. P.	113	T., St. L. & W.	83⅞
C. & N. W. 7s	142⅞	Union Pacific 4s	106⅞
C., R. I. & P.	106⅞	U. P. Conv. 4s	107
C. C. C. & St. L.	10[illegible]	Wabash 1sts	118½
Chicago Ter. 4s	91	Wabash 2ds	110½
Colo. & So. 4s	88⅞	Wabash Deb. B.	6[illegible]
D. & R. G. 4s	102⅞	West Shore 4s	113⅞
Erie prior lien 4s	100⅞	W. & L. E. 4s	91⅞
Erie Gen. 4s	90	Wis. Cen. 4s	89
Fort Worth 1sts	108½	Con. Tob. 4s	63½
Hock. Val. 4½s	108		

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

Money—		U. S. Steel	2[illegible]
Call loans	3½@4½	U. S. Steel pfd	92⅞
Time loans	4@5	Mining—	
Bonds—		Adventure	22
Atchison 4s	102	Allouez	4½
Gas 1st	80	Amalgamated	8[illegible]
Mex. Cen. 4s	80	Baltic	47½
N. E. G. & C.	61	Bingham	28⅞
Railroads—		C. & Hecla	645@650
Atchison	80⅞	Centennial	16½
Atchison pfd	100⅞	Copper Range	60½
Boston & Albany	254	Dominion Coal	46⅞
Boston & Maine	191	Franklin	16½
Boston Elevated	165	Isle Royale	23⅞
N. Y. N. H. & H.	21[illegible]	Mohawk	42½
Fitchburg pfd	144	Old Dominion	26⅞
Union Pacific	103⅞	Osceola	86½
Mexican Central	30½	Parrot	32½
Miscellaneous—		Quincy	155
Am. Sugar	124½	Tamarack	315
Am. Tel. & Tel	160	Trimountain	45
Dom. I. & S.	27½	Trinity	23½
Gen. Electric	274	United States	15
Mass. Electric	35	Utah	32½
Mass. Elec. pfd	91	Victoria	6⅞
N. E. G. & C.	6	Winona	2
United Fruit	88	Wolverine	18½

New York Money.

NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—Money on call, steady at 3@4 per cent.; last loan, 3 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 4@4½ per cent. Sterling exchange firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.87¼@4.87⅜ for demand and at 4.84¼ for sixty days. Posted rates, 4.85 and 4.88½. Commercial bills, 4.83¼@4.83⅜. Bar silver, 54⅞. Mexican dollars, 43⅞. Bonds, government, steady; State, active; railroad, irregular.

London Financial Market.

NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—The Commercial Advertiser's London financial cablegram says: "The stock market was steadier, save for home stocks. American issues opened quiet, and hovered around parities till the afternoon, when New York purchased Wabash, Chesapeake and Ohio, and Southern Railway, causing a firm finish. Silver is 25⅛d, New York still pressing sales."

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—Today's statement of the treasury balance shows: Available cash balance, $165,394,623; gold, $106,510,425.

London Silver.

LONDON, Nov. 27.—Consols, 91⅞; silver, 25⅛.

GENERAL EASTERN MARKETS

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, Nov. 27.—Traders in the main desired to even up deals over Thanksgiving, and as a rule showed little interest in the wheat market. The cable list was weak, bringing an opening for December unchanged to ⅛ to ¼c lower, at 71⅞@71⅞. There was some commission-house buying, which kept prices rather steady. December closed rather firm, ⅛ to ⅜c higher, at 73⅞. A disposition on the part of several leading professional bulls to even up trades, kept business dull in corn. December closed firm, ⅛ to ¼c higher, at 62¼. Oats ruled easy, following corn, and December closed steady and unchanged at 43⅞. Provisions were fairly active and ruled strong. January pork closed 22c higher, January lard 25c up, and January ribs 15 to 17½c higher.

The leading futures closed as follows:

	Closing.
Wheat, No. 2—	
November	72¾
December	73⅞
May	76
Corn, No. 2—	
November	61⅞
December	62
May	64¼@64⅜
July	64⅛
Oats, No. 2—	
December	43⅞
May	45
July	39⅞

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour was steady; No. 3 spring wheat, 69@71¾; No. 2 red, 74¼@75¾; No. 2 oats, 43¾; No. 2 white, 45@45½; No. 3 white, 44¼@45¼; No. 2 rye, 60; fair to choice malting barley, 55@62; No. 1 flax seed, 1.43; No. 1 northwestern, 1.44; prime timothy seed, 6.35@6.40; mess pork, per bbl., 14.70@14.75; lard, per 100 lbs., 9.10@9.35; short ribs sides (loose,) 8.10@8.30; dry salted shoulders (boxed,) 7¾@7⅞; short clear sides (boxed,) 8.45@8.55; whisky, basis of high wines, 1.31; clover, contract grade, 8.85.

Grain Movements.

Articles—	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	79,000	26,000
Wheat, bushels	200,000	12,000
Corn	107,000	201,000
Oats	401,000	133,000
Rye	18,000	3,000
Barley	144,000	22,000

On the Produce Exchange today the butter market was steady: creamery, 16@24½; dairy, 15@21; cheese, 9¾@10½. Eggs, steady; fresh, 23½.

Closing Figures.

CHICAGO, Nov. 27.—Close: Wheat—November, 72¾; December, 73⅞; May, 76. Corn—November, 61⅞; December, 62. Oats—November, 43⅞; December, 43⅞. Pork—November, 14.37½; January, 16.00. Lard—November, 9.32½; January, 9.32½. Ribs—November, 8.20; January, 8.30. Flax, cash, Northwestern, 1.44. Rye, December, 59. Barley, cash, 55@62. Timothy, March, 6.32½.

New York Metal Market.

NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—Another sharp advance occurred in tin in the local market for metals. The net gain for the day was about 4⅛c, with spot at the close quoted at 23.50@24.50. December delivery was sold at 25.75. At London, values eased off 7s 6d, and closed barely steady, with spot quoted at £110 15s and futures at £109 7s 6d. Copper at New York was quoted at 16.50@17.00 for lake, and at 16⅛@16⅜ for casting. A decline of £1 5s 3d took place in London under realizing, spot closing at £66, and futures £62 10s. Lead was dull and easy. Spelter was dull and nominal. Iron was active.

New York General Markets.

NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—Wheat, spot firm; options closed firm, ⅛ to ¼ net advance. Close: May, 81¾; December, 79⅞. Hops, steady. Hides, steady. Wool quiet. Coffee, spot Rio, steady; No. 7, invoice, 6⅜; Cordova, 7¾@11; futures closed steady, 5 to 10 points higher; December, 6.45@6.55; March, 6.70@6.80; April 6.85; May, 6.90@7.00; July, 7.15; September, 7.25@7.35; October, 7.35.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—Butter—Receipts, 5742 packages; firm; State dairy, 15@22; creamery, 17@25½; June creamery, 18@22; factory, 13@16¼. Eggs—Receipts, 7242 packages; firm; State and Pennsylvania, 28@30; western at mark, 24@28; southern at mark, 23@27.

California Dried Fruits.

NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—Evaporated apples were firm; State, common to good, 6@9¼; prime, 9@9⅜; choice, 9¼@9¾; fancy, 10@10½. California dried fruits quiet. Prunes, 3¾@7. Apricots, Royal, 8¼@12; Moorpark, 8@12. Peaches, peeled, 11@18; unpeeled, 6@9¾.

New York Sugar Market.

NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—Sugar, raw, quiet; refining, 3¼; centrifugal, 96 test, 3¾; molasses sugar, 3; refined, steady; crushed, 5.40; powdered, 5.00; granulated, 4.90.

St. Louis Wool Market.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 27.—Wool quiet; Territory and western medium, 14@16½; fine, 11@15; coarse, 11@14½.

Tacoma Wheat Market.

TACOMA (Wash.) Nov. 27.—Wheat unchanged; blue stem, 59; club, 58.

Portland Wheat Market.

PORTLAND, Nov. 27.—Wheat, Walla Walla, 57½@58; valley, 58; blue stem, 59.

New York Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—Cotton closed about steady, 1 to 2 points higher.

Oil Transactions.

OIL CITY (Pa.) Nov. 27.—Credit balances, 1.30; certificates, no bid.

Liverpool Cotton.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 27.—Cotton, uplands, 4 1-16d.

EASTERN LIVE-STOCK MARKETS.

DENVER CLOSING FIGURES.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

DENVER, Nov. 27.—Cattle—Receipts, 600; steady; beef steers, 3.75@4.65; cows, freight paid to river, 2.75@4.10; stockers, freight paid, 3.00@4.00; bulls, stags, etc., 1.50@3.00. Hogs—Receipts, 500; lower; light packers, 5.65@5.70; heavy, 5.70@5.75. Sheep—Receipts, 800; firm; good fat muttons, 3.00@3.50; lambs, 3.50@4.00.

Kansas City Live-stock Market.

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 27.—Cattle—Receipts, ..., including 500 Texans; steady; native beef steers, 4.65@6.20; Texas and Indian steers, 3.00@4.30; Texas cows, 2.00@3.40; native cows and heifers, 2.50@5.20; stockers and feeders, 2.75@4.25; bulls, 2.60@3.25; calves, 2.75@6.25. Hogs—Receipts, 21,000; 5 to 10c lower; bulk of sales, 5.50@5.90; packers, 5.70@5.95; medium, 5.60@5.90; light, 5.35@5.55; porkers, 5.10@5.75; pigs, 4.25@5.15. Sheep—Receipts, 6500; steady; muttons, 2.75@3.85; lambs, 3.75@4.50; yearlings, 3.40@3.85; wethers, 3.10@3.50; ewes, 2.75@3.25.

Omaha Live-stock Market.

OMAHA, Nov. 27.—Cattle—Receipts, 2500; strong on best; slow on others; native beef steers, 3.75@5.00; steers, 3.60@5.30; Texas steers, 3.50@4.40; cows and heifers, 2.90@4.25; canners, 1.25@2.65; stockers and feeders, 2.75@4.40; calves, 3.00@5.50; bulls, stags, etc., 2.00@4.00. Hogs—Receipts, 16,000; 5c lower; closed strong; heavy, 5.70@5.85; mixed, 5.70@5.75; light, 5.50@5.77½; pigs, 4.25@5.50; bulk of sales, 5.70@5.75. Sheep—Receipts, 2500; steady to strong; fed muttons, 3.40@3.80; grass wethers, 2.00@3.35; fed lambs, 4.25@4.90; grass lambs, 3.75@4.40; ewes, 2.50@3.75; common and stock sheep, 2.00@3.25.

Chicago Live-Stock Market.

CHICAGO, Nov. 27.—Cattle—Receipts, 17,000, including 200 westerns; choice, active and strong; others slow and weak; good to prime, 6.40@7.25; poor to medium, 3.75@6.00; stockers and feeders, 2.00@4.25; cows, 1.25@4.75; heifers, 1.50@5.00; canners, 1.25@2.30; bulls, 1.75@4.75; calves, 2.50@5.00; western steers, 3.60@5.00. Hogs—Receipts today, 48,000; Friday, 35,000; left over, 8000; 5 to 10c lower; mixed and butchers', 5.55@5.95; good to choice heavy, 5.60@6.05; rough to fair heavy, 5.40@5.80; light, 5.00@5.55; bulk of sales, 5.50@5.85. Sheep—Receipts, 20,000; sheep and lambs steady; good to choice wethers, 3.40@4.25; fair to choice mixed, 2.75@3.40; western sheep, 3.00@3.60; native lambs, 2.50@4.75; western lambs, 3.50@4.15.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 27.—Wheat steady on call and quiet in the spot market. Barley futures quiet. Spot barley weak. Oats fairly steady. Hay easy. Bran and middlings weak. Beans easier. Butter steady for creamery and weak for other grades. Cheese steady. Eggs lower. The general market for fruits was quieter. Potatoes easier. Onions firm. Choice tomatoes steady. Choice green peas and string beans steady. Dressed turkeys firm; live poultry quiet.

CLOSING PRICES.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 27.—Flour—Net cash prices for family extras, 3.25@3.50 per bbl.; bakers, 3.10@3.20; Oregon and Washington, 2.60@3.00.

Wheat—Shipping, 98¾@1.00 per ctl.; milling, 1.02½@1.05.

Barley—Feed, 72½@73¾ per ctl.; brewing, 77½@82½; Chevalier, 90@1.15.

Oats—Red, 1.07½@1.27½ per ctl.; white, 1.15@1.30; black, 1.00@1.20.

Corn — Large yellow, 1.60@1.62½ per ctl. in sacks, and 1.55 in bulk; do. mixed, 1.50@1.52½.

Hay—Wheat, 9.00@12.00 per ton; wheat and oat, 8.50@11.00; barley and oat, 8.00@10.00; oat, 6.50@8.00 for wild and 7.00@9.00 for tame; barley, 6.00@7.50; alfalfa, 7.50@9.00; clover, 5.50@7.50; volunteer, 5.00@6.50.

Straw—27½@47½ per bale.

Millstuffs — Middlings, 27.50@19.00 per ton; mixed feed, 16.00@17.00; rolled barley, 16.00@17.50; oatmeal, 4.75@5.00 per 100 lbs.; oat groats, 5.00; rolled oats, 6.35@6.35 for wood, and 6.50@8.00 for sacks.

Beans—Lima, 4.50@4.75 per sack; small white, 3.30@3.35; large white, 2.00@2.10; pink, 2.00@2.25.

Potatoes — River Burbanks, 80@1.10 per sack; Salinas Burbanks, 1.20@1.55; Merced sweets, 50@60; Oregon Burbanks, 1.20@1.45.

Onions—Fancy, 2.25 per 100 lbs.

Various — Green peas, 3@6 per lb.; string beans, 2½@7 per lb.; egg plant, 40@75 per box; squash, 75@1.25; green peppers, 40@60; garlic, 2@2½ per lb.; cucumbers, 1.00@1.25 per box; mushrooms, 5@12½; tomatoes, 40@75.

Fruit—Fancy apples, 2.00 per box; common apples, 30; pears, common, 75; fancy, 1.75; peaches, common, —; fancy, —; plums, common, —; fancy, —; pomegranates, 60@1.00; persimmons, 60@1.00; quinces, 30@60.

Berries — Strawberries, 5.00@11.00 per crate; blackberries, 7.00@8.00; huckleberries, 9.00@10.00; raspberries, 4.00@6.00; cranberries, Cape Cod, 10.50@11.00 per bbl.; Coos Bay, —.

Grapes—Ordinary, 40 per box; Isabella, —; Muscat, 50@1.00; Fontainbleau, —.

Citrus fruits—Oranges, navels, 1.25@2.50 per box; seedlings, 1.00@1.50; Mexican limes, 4.00@4.50; common California lemons, 75; fancy, 2.50.

Tropical fruits—Bananas, 100@2.75 per bunch; pineapples, 3.00@4.00 per doz.; Smyrna figs, 14@17 per lb.; Persian dates, 5½@6.

Butter — Fancy creamery, 24; seconds, 20; fancy dairy, 21; seconds, 18.

Cheese—California cream cheddar, —; eastern, 13@15; Young America, 13.

Eggs — Ranch, 35@40 per doz.; store, —; eastern, 27.

Poultry—Live turkeys, 14@15 per lb.; dressed, 15@19; old roosters, 4.00@4.50 per doz.; young roosters, 4.00@5.00; small broilers, 3.00@3.50; large broilers, 3.50@4.00; fryers, 3.50@4.00; hens, 4.00@4.50; ducks, old, 3.50@4.00; young, 4.00@5.00; geese, 1.50@1.75; goslings, 1.75@2.00; pigeons, old, 1.25@1.50; pigeons, young, 1.75@2.00.

Receipts.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 27.—Receipts—Flour, quarter sacks, 11,232; Oregon, 11,622; wheat, centals, 13,170; barley, centals, 3500; oats, centals, 290; beans, sacks, 3475; rye, centals, 700; potatoes, sacks, 15,739; onions, sacks, 63; bran, sacks, 805; middlings, sacks, 567; hay, tons, 570; hides, number, 496; raisins, boxes, 4930; wine, gallons, 47,500; mustard, sacks, 1000; brandy, gallons, 16,400; quicksilver, flasks, 157.

Drafts and Silver.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 27.—Silver bars, 55; Mexican dollars, 47@47½; drafts—sight, par; telegraph, 12½.

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MEDICINE LODGE (Kan.) Nov. 27.—David K. Nation was today granted a divorce from his wife, Mrs. Carrie Nation, "the joint smasher." The court exonerated Mrs. Nation from the charge of cruelty to her husband, and divided the property. The Medicine Lodge home will go to Nation, and outlying property to his wife.

In reply to questions of the court, Mrs. Nation said that the reason she fought the proceedings was that she wished to continue to share the pension money drawn by her husband. Nation, in support of his petition for divorce, cited a letter from his wife in which she had denounced him as a "hell-bound hypocrite." He charged that she did not attend to his wants. Judge Gillett granted the divorce on the ground of gross neglect of duty.

WASHINGTON NOTES.

New Quarters for Cadets.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—Bids were opened at the Navy Department for the construction of the buildings which are to serve as new quarters for the cadets at Annapolis. There were but four bidders who undertook to contract for the work. The lowest was $2,448,000.

Heistand Inquiry Concluded.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—The taking of testimony in the Heistand inquiry before the Senate Committee on Military Affairs, was concluded today, L. B. Jackson of Chicago being the last witness examined. The committee adjourned until Friday, when arguments will be heard.

Bennings Results.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—Six and a half furlongs: Ohnet won, Tour second, Lady of the Valley third; time 1:23 1-5.

Five and a half furlongs: Honolulu won Luxcasta second, Flora Pomona third; time 1:10.

Mile and fifty yards: Wellesley won, Death second, Mynheer third; time 1:46 3-4.

Seven furlongs: Extinguisher won, The Puritan second, Pigeon Post third; time 1:30.

Six and a half furlongs: Last Knight won, Bijou second, Lamp D'Lee third; time 1:24.

Mile and 100 yards: Marothen won, Guesswork second, Kingstelle third; time 1:52.

Match race, five furlongs: Lady Teasle won, Sir Ellerslie second; time 1:05 2-5.

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A requiem service for the repose of the soul of Count Von Hatzfeldt-Wildenberg, the late German Ambassador to the Court of St. James, was celebrated at a Roman Catholic church in London yesterday.

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SAN BERNARDINO SHOPS AND YARDS TOO SMALL.

Company Ready to Enlarge, but Some Property Owners Asking Unreasonable Prices—Southern Pacific Sued for Fifteen Thousand Dollars' Damages.

SAN BERNARDINO, Nov. 27.—[From The Times' Correspondent.] A committee, representing the San Bernardino Board of Trade, and consisting of H. M. Barton, O. Newburg, James Fleming and George M. Cooley, is aiding the Santa Fé officials in securing property needed by the railroad company on the north side of Fourth street, between I street and Mt. Vernon avenue. The railroad company, which is such an important factor in everything that pertains to the growth and prosperity of this city, desires to purchase the property within the boundaries named, in order to obtain room to enlarge its shops and yards. Most of the land is already deeded, or under option, but a few owners are holding out and demanding what is conceded to be an unreasonable price for their property.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC SUED.

W. C. Dolley, guardian of Harry H. Dolley, a thirteen-year-old boy, has brought suit for $15,000 damages against the Southern Pacific Company. Last January the boy was run over by a Southern Pacific train on the Chino loop, near Ontario, and injured, necessitating the amputation of one of his legs.

SAN BERNARDINO BREVITIES.

Business will be generally suspended here tomorrow. A union Thanksgiving service will be held in the morning at the Baptist Church, when the sermon will be preached by Rev. D. McG. Gandier, pastor of the Presbyterian Church.

Engineer Walter Reed fell from a locomotive in the Santa Fé yards yesterday afternoon, cutting a severe gash in the top of his head.

Antonio Romero, brought here raving mad yesterday, was committed to the Highland Asylum today.

Proceedings in a divorce suit have been instituted by Sophronia J. Lytle against Lafayette Lytle.

Gertrude Maxwell has commenced suit for divorce against Harvey W. Maxwell.

Edward Smith of Redondo is a guest at the home of his sister, Mrs. F. H. Baillie.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Perley have returned from a six months' eastern trip.

Jacob Gish of Lafayette, Ind., is here for the winter.

REDLANDS.

NOTES AND PERSONALS.

REDLANDS, Nov. 27.—[From The Times' Resident Correspondent.] An industry that is new to this section will be started here soon. Edward J. Shuhan of New York has been looking for a suitable site for a factory for the production of orange and lemon oil.

Many friends were guests last night at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Tuck, for their tenth wedding anniversity. The parlors were handsomely decorated with carnations, roses and violets, and music was rendered during the evening. Whist and euchre were played, and at a late hour supper was served.

Judge Oliver Young and wife of Berkeley are on a visit to J. H. Logie.

S. R. Patty went to Los Angeles to spend Thanksgiving with his family.

Miss E. Leadbetter, head operator of the Sunset Telephone Company at Los Angeles, is here today inspecting and instructing in the use of the new service.

Mrs. C. C. Taylor arrived from Worcester, Mass., yesterday and will make the handsome residence of G. A. Cook her permanent home.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Bowles of Oakland are at the Casa Loma for a few days.

W. H. Bicknell, assistant secretary of the Board of Trade, has secured the chief clerkship at the Windsor.

L. M. Thomas of Emporia, Kan., has bought the grocery business of S. B. Bean and will locate here permanently.

Rev. J. H. Stewart, who spent several months here, returned to his home in Los Angeles yesterday.

Charles Gill will build a handsome residence on the Heights.

A large number heard the lecture at the Y.M.C.A. last night by Maj. F. C. Prescott. The cadets and Co. G, N.G.C., attended in full uniform.

The following named from Los Angeles are at the Windsor: T. H. Edwards, C. White, J. W. Barnes, A. W. E. Thompson, A. M. Hinckley, W. E. Howard, V. E. Mattice and A. W. Gunnison.

E. M. Hills of New York is at the Windsor.

Ray Winslow of Lincoln, Neb., arrived today to spend some time.

S. Holder and Miss Kimball, from Los Angeles, are here today.

The Y.M.C.A. has made arrangements for evangelistic services to begin next Sunday, and has secured the well-known veteran, Frank W. Smith of Ohio, to conduct them.

The Redlands Orange Growers' Association will begin packing on Friday. It has about fifteen hundred boxes ready to be cleaned and packed.

NEEDLES.

CHAIR CAR HALF BURNED.

NEEDLES, Nov. 27.—When the overland from San Francisco pulled into the station tonight at 7:35 an explosion of the acetylene tank in the chair car startled the citizens. The car quickly caught fire. Water was turned on and increased the gas and the fire spread rapidly. The interior of half the car was ruined.

It stood in front of the Harvey House, which, if it had caught, would have caused a conflagration. The ruined car is a new model, and was sidetracked here for repairs. Some wraps and belongings of passengers were burned in the car. No damage was done to other cars, but it was a close call.

Two car repairers were severely burned while fighting the fire. The burning gas enveloped the men and they are in a precarious condition.

ONTARIO.

WALKS UNSATISFACTORY.

ONTARIO, Nov. 27.—[From The Times' Resident Correspondent.] The mile and a quarter of cement sidewalks laid within the past few months are unsatisfactory to the property owners, a majority of whom protested to the City Trustees last evening against paying for the improvement. There will be a hearing before the Trustees December 12. The people claim that the walks are almost worthless, were not prepared and laid according to the specifications prepared by the engineer, and that the work was accepted by the Street Superintendent and not the Trustees.

ONTARIO BREVITIES.

The local Women of Woodcraft have elected the following officers: Past Guardian, H. J. Rowe; Guardian, Anna J. Kirkpatrick; Advisor, Mary E. Wright; Clerk, Nellie J. Fink; Banker, Ella V. Bradford; Magician, Louisa Draper; Attendant, Alice M. Dean; Inside Sentinel, E. E. Pettitt; Outside Sentinel, Belle Enochs; Captain of Guards, J. M. Horton; Manager, Anna Snider.

William Ensley and son Grover have arrived from Auburn, Ind., and will spend the winter here.

Lester Longwell has returned to Ontario after an extended stay in the East.

TWO KINDS OF BALL, RACES AND POLO.

THANKSGIVING AMUSEMENT FOR RIVERSIDE PEOPLE.

Man Who Took Charge of a Restaurant and Left With the Proceeds Located at Santa Barbara—Death of Harry I. Spencer.

RIVERSIDE, Nov. 27.—[From The Times' Resident Correspondent.] Riverside people will have an abundance of amusements Thanksgiving Day. In the morning at 9:30 o'clock football will be played at Athletic Park between the High School and Business College teams. In the afternoon, there will be an interesting programme of races run at the polo grounds on Magnolia avenue, and two periods of polo will be played between picked teams. At Athletic Park in the afternoon, a game of baseball will be played between picked nines from Riverside and Ontario. The finals, thirty-six holes, in the Rubidoux Club's handicap golf tournament will be played between Hays and Phelps, and an open handicap tournament, medal play, will be in progress at the same time. A handicap tournament will be played also on the Pachappa Golf Club's links. The public buildings and most of the business houses and stores will be kept closed all day, and holiday hours will be observed at the postoffice.

AFTERNOON RECEPTION.

Mrs. E. S. Moulton and Mrs. Philip Kingman gave a reception yesterday afternoon at the Moulton residence on Magnolia avenue, to a large number of invited guests. They were assisted in receiving by Mmes. Charles H. Low, George U. Reynolds, E. F. Kingman, S. C. Evans, Jr.; T. D. Hurd, L. N. Briggs, Martin Hoover and Miss McLeod. The floral decorations were elaborate and beautiful.

"SMOOTH GUY" LOCATED.

The "smooth guy," who assumed charge of John Gray's restaurant Saturday night and beat him out of the evening's receipts, which exceeded $20, has been located in Santa Barbara. The Santa Barbara and Los Angeles officers have charges against him.

HARRY I. SPENCER DEAD.

Harry I. Spencer, a native of Lancaster, Pa., who spent the past two winters here in the hope of benefiting his health, died this afternoon of consumption, after a long illness. He was 41 years of age, and a friend of all who knew him. He was a Mason and an Odd Fellow.

RIVERSIDE BREVITIES.

Charles D. Meigs of Indiana addressed a large assemblage of Sunday-school workers last evening at the Methodist Church. The devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. B. S. Haywood, and Mr. Meigs was introduced by Prof. H. L. Lunt, president of the Riverside County Sunday-school Association.

The members and friends of the Christian Church tendered a reception this evening to their new pastor, Rev. George Ringo, and Mrs. Ringo.

John Bradley and Thomas Watson were sent to jail for five days yesterday by Justice Stephenson for drunkenness.

A number of Riverside people will go to Los Angeles Saturday to see the Stanford-Indian football game.

A closed car, for service on cold nights, will be put on the electric line about the first of the new year.

Mrs. Frank Gilliland has returned from an extended eastern trip.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

WEDNESDAY, Nov. 27, 1901.

Millie V Bennett and Dewitt C Bennett to John Barry, lots 15 and 16, block 1, Urmston tract, $3100.

Simeon R Henderson and Margaret E Henderson to S P Channell, lots 8, 9 and 10, block 1, Downey tract, $10.

Clinton L Mosher and Mary E Mosher to Fred L Clark, lots 4 and 5, block 43, Azusa, $50.

Ida Canoll and Henry Canoll to George O Renner, lots 1, 2, 7 and 8, Keefer subdivision, $100.

Mrs Addie M Shrode to George O Renner, lot 7, Keefer subdivision, $1.

Ernest H Miller and Ida C Miller to George O Renner, lots 70 and 71, Keefer's subdivision, $225.

Pickering Land and Water Company to Gilbert H Herney, lots 22 and 23, block 10, Whittier, $300.

Jane M Junkin to Joseph B Lippincott, part lot 1, Ellendale Place, $10.

Jane M Junkin to William K Dodson, lot 9, Eugene Meyer's subdivision, $10.

Charles S Sanderson and Alice E Sanderson to J A Hinman, part Paso de Bartolo Rancho, $2662.

J A Hinman to Gene K Reichling, same, $4500.

Myrtle A Spencer to C D Jackson, lot 13, block E, McGarry tract, $10.

George R Crow, administrator of estate of Kate Wood, deceased, to Henry P Wood, lot 22, block 18, Electric Railway Homestead Association, $45.

A Kingsley Macomber and Myrtle H Macomber to Lloyd R Macy, lot 40, J H Baker's subdivision, $10.

Charles A Darda and Mary Darda to M A Edson, lots 10, 11 and 12, block 8, Greenwell tract, $10.

M A Edson and J H Edson to D A Warner, lots 10, 11 and 12, block 8, Greenwell tract, $10.

Harry Lynch and Retta Lynch to Lettie P Corbin, part lot 10, block 2, East San Pedro, $800.

Thomas F Croft and Eurietta A Croft to Ted Ford, part lot 8, block 4, Tallmadge, Foote & Burnham tract, $4200.

W D Toby, known as Walter D Tobey, to James Lacey, lots 23 and 24, block 9, Park tract, $1000.

W H Perry Land and Water Company to Doria Jones, lots 20 and 21, Eugene Meyer's subdivision, $10.

George W Lasher to James C Horgan, lot 128, West End Terrace, $10.

Los Angeles Building Company to William M Younghans and Florence Younghans, lot 24, block C, Estella tract, $10.

William H Thompson and Ida M Thompson to S F Hopkins, part section 12, 7 N 15, $1100.

Frances M DePauw to William E Roberts, part lots 37 and 38, Miller & Herriott's subdivision, $4.

Sarah M Tomlinson and Jesse C Tomlinson to Walter J Tomlinson, part lots 10, 11 and 12, block 14, Strawbridge & Wiggins addition, $1.

Daniel P Riley and Lavina T Riley to Katie Sidies, part lot 15, block 1, Bennett tract, $10.

Katie Sidies and Henry S Sidies to R J Adcock, lots 2 and 3, Sturges subdivision, $5.

R Henry C Green and Mary A Green to Lewis Bauerland, lot 16, Grider & Dow's Orangedale tract, $600.

Leon F Moss and Effie F Moss to Mrs Elizabeth Allen, lot 4, block 15, Avalon, $4000.

George J Lindrum to Minnie Kohl, lot 22, Goldsworthy Eighth-street tract, $10.

Oliver I Hamilton and Virginia P Hamilton to Josiah H Devol, part lot 29, Lick tract, $10.

Edith G Nourse to John McLeod, agreement to convey lot 24, block 43, Electric Railway Homestead Association, $1650.

John McLeod to Mrs Jennie M Holmes, assignment of above.

Hermosa Beach Land and Water Company to Charles W Robinson, lot 16, block 19, Hermosa Beach, $10.

Hermosa Beach Land and Water Company to Jacobita M Robinson, lot 18, block 3, Hermosa Beach, $10.

Hermosa Beach Land and Water Company to Jacobita M Robinson, lots 25, 26 and 27, block 19, Hermosa Beach, $10.

J R Ramirez to Josefa L de O'Choa, lot 7, block 2, Cornwall & Green subdivision, $10.

Wilbert O Pitcher and Jennie B Pitcher to Enoch Knight, lot 8, block A, Stanton subdivision, $50.

Heirs of Mary E Murphy and E E Hewitt, Tax Collector of Los Angeles county, to J R Ramirez, lot 7, block 2, Cornwall & Green's subdivision.

Mrs E Murphy by A B Whitney, Tax Collector of Los Angeles county, to W S Boyd, lot 7, block 2, Cornwall & Green's subdivision.

Heirs of Mary E Murphy by R D Wade, Tax Collector of city of Los Angeles, to J R Ramirez, lot 7, block 2, Cornwall & Green's subdivision.

Mrs Ricarda Carrion and R Carrion to J A Martin, lot 1, block 73, Lordsburg, $60.

United States to Adolf Frey, patent for part section 8, 6 N 12.

Jesse D Hunter, Ida B Hunter, Joseph Hunter and Sallie O Hunter to Andrew Glassell, part Rancho San Rafael, $2000.

William J Thomas to Hannah Rebecca Thomas, lots 12, 13, 14 and 15, block 311, Inglewood, $10.

J Casaurang and Martha Casaurang to Enfemia Nrtasun, lots 12, 13 and 14, block 7, Ramona, $125.

Mrs Minnie L Spencer and I L Spencer to I L LeCount, lot 5, block D, Newell & Rader's subdivision, $10.

J P Miller and Anna S Miller to David A Meekins, lot 95, Westlake Park tract, $10.

Stephen C Hubbell and Lora A Hubbell to David A Meekins, lot 122, Westlake Park tract, $10.

David A Meekins and Cora L Meekins to Joshua G Gardner, lot 122, Westlake Park tract, $10.

Sarah I Gardner and J G Gardner to J P Miller, part lots 3 and 4, block A, Moreno Vineyard tract, $10.

Abbot Kinney to Georgina C Sumner, lots 13 and 14, block 1, Kinney Heights tract, $10.

Upton W Rank and Emma Rank to Clara L Hall, lot 15, Monterey tract, $10.

Upton W Rank and Emma Rank to Alice G Hall, part lot 7, Mrs Shaw's subdivision, $10.

Isaac N Vail and Mary C Vail to Semira L Comfort, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, Helen & Craig's subdivision; lot 9, Master's subdivision, $400.

Frances C Adams to Emma White, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, block 14, C V Hall tract, $1530.

Emma A Heath to George Phillips, lot 7, block C, Hughes subdivision of block 169, Pomona, $300.

John Patterson and Lizzie Patterson to F C Youman's, part lot 5, block D, Alamitos tract, $350.

Wilber Lee Wright and Annie D Wright to Emma L Malcolm, lots 6 and 8, block 56, Long Beach, $1100.

Millard Lemon and Marshall Lemon to Blanche W Yeomans, part lots 3 and 4, block D, Alamitos tract, $100.

Jerome F Kendall to Emilie Faure, lot 470, Alexandre Weill tract, $400.

F Lambourn and W F Turner, composing firm of Lambourn & Turner; Lambourn & Turner, by W F Turner, Georgia A Lambourn and Sarah R Turner to F G Calkins, lot 14, Carleton & Summerfield's subdivision, $10.

Emilie Brodbeck to M G McCaslin, lots 27 and 28, block 38, Long Beach, $10.

Elizabeth A Spencer to F W Hunt, lot 2, block 11, and lots 3 and 5, block 1, Newell & Spencer's subdivision; lot 7, block 10, Stearns's subdivision, $20.

William M Younghans and Florence Younghans to Los Angeles Building Company, lot 22, C W Davis's subdivision, $10.

Frank J Fevergeon and Alice Fevergeon to Charles A Holt, lot 14, block 22, and lot 13, block 22, Electric Railway Homestead Association tract, $1190.

Charles Clinton York and Ellen York to Calvin H Nicholson, lot 18, block B, Sherman tract, $10.

Henry Braasch to C J Gould, lot 2, block C, Los Angeles Improvement Company's subdivision; part lots 2 and 3, block 56, Rancho Providencia and Scott tract, $10.

Union Trust and Realty Company to M E Frame, reconveyance of trust property.

M E Frame and J H Frame to Sarah E Graves, lots 14, 15, 16 to 26, block 2, and lots 1 to 5, also lots 7 to 13, block 3, Strong & Dickinson's Sixteenth and Washington streets tract.

M E Frame and J A Frame to Theodore G Fitch, lots 1 to 13, block 1, Strong & Dickinson's Sixteenth and Washington-street tract, $10.

Edwin S Rowley and Kate L Rowley to Isaiah W Loring, part lots 32 and 33, block N, West Los Angeles, $2000.

Thomas W O'Reilly to Albert H Busch, lot 4 and part lots 3 and 5, block A, Wheeler tract, $4000.

William L Innes and Lizzie W Innes to Albert H Sitton, lot 27, block 8, Urmston tract, $10.

Flora D Letterier to George W Letteller, lot 50, Philbin tract, gift.

Mrs Pauline Gastreich and Joseph Gastreich to Mrs C E Dale, agreement to convey part lot 5, block 83, Rancho Providencia and Scott tract, $625.

J C Wallace to Martha E Wallace, all real property, $1.

Hubert W Hemphill to Jennie M Holmes, lot 24, block 43, Electric Railway Homestead Association tract, $100.

Y Y Bradshaw to William H Schweppe, part lot 7, block 16, Ord's survey, $10.

Carl E Combs to Martha D Sinnot, lot 1, J A Parker's resubdivision, $200.

Elizabeth O Rogers to Omar A Rogers, lot 1, block B, Blanchard's subdivision, $1.

J S Turner and C F Turner to J E Wheat, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 15, 16 and 17, block Q, McClay's addition, $1150.

Grace L Raines and A M F Strong, by W A Hammel, Sheriff, to Mary Byrne, lot 14, Granada tract, $2540.04.

P D Van Citters and Johanna H Van Citters to Los Angeles Savings Bank, part lot 18, Lankershim Land and Water Company's subdivision, $10.

Mrs Willie B Johnson and Gail B Johnson to August H Lindstrom and Ida Lindstrom, lot 1, block 3, Harvey tract, $10.

Milo E Mather to Florence S Mather, lot 19, block 1, Sisters of Charity tract, $10.

Walter Rose to Stephen Dursey, lots 1 and 2, Oak Grove subdivision, $10.

William Y Earle to the Covina Citrus Association, part sec 11, 1 S 10 W, $366.72.

James Shields and Jessie Shields to Mrs M E Kiel, lot 2, block 3, Adams-street Homestead tract, $425.

L J Bynon and Maud L Bynon to E S Butterworth, part lots 11, 12 and 13, subdivision of part Dana tract, gift.

E S Butterworth to Frank B Harbert, part lots 11, 12 and 13, subdivision of part of Dana tract, $10.

German-American Savings Bank to C E McFall, lot 34, West End Terrace tract, to correct deed (1476-119,) $3000.

J C Newitt and Georgia L Newitt to Ida Belle Richardson, lot 21, Daly tract, $3260.

Eugene S Tomblin vs the city of Los Angeles, decree quieting title in plaintiff to lot 8, Whisler's subdivision.

Mrs Frances M de Pauw to A E Halsey, part lots 6 and 7, block 70, Ord's survey, $10.

Daniel Freeman to John Adam Hotyell, lots 15 and 24, block 319, Inglewood, $12.

Estate of Catherine Platt, deceased, final decree of distribution to Carrie S McCreery, trustee under said will, lots 9, 10, 11 and 12, block 63, Rosecrans.

John B Allgeyer and Martina Allgeyer to Henry Allgeyer, agreement to convey part lot 3, block A, Rancho Portrero de Felipe Lugo, $3500.

Emma West to Nora M McNeely, lot 27, Westacres, $10.

Frank B Sturge and Lillian Sturge to the Garnsey Investment Company, lot 31, block 4, Adams-street Homestead tract, $10.

The Garnsey Investment Company to H B Ainsworth, lot 31, block 4, Adams-street Homestead tract, $10.

Mrs Isabella B Huber to H B Ainsworth and Gibson Howard, block 19, Arlington Heights tract, $10.

Abbot Kinney to the Garnsey Investment Company, lots 1 to 6, block 1; lots 5 to 9, 15, 20, 21, 22 and W½ lot 14, block 14; lots 1 to 11, block 3; lots 14 to 24, block 5; lots 16 to 22 and W½ lot 15, block 6, Kinney Heights tract, $22,500.

H H Venable and Theresa M Venable to Frank Lauger, lot 5, block 194, city Redondo Beach, $10.

P B Chase and Calista T Chase to Elizabeth L Hopper, lot 6, block U, West Los Angeles, $3000.

E L Hopper and I B Hopper to P B Chase, part lots 4 and 5, block 1, Mason tract, $4500.

Mattie W Hughes to Ira J Trimm, lot 366, San Dimas, $55.

Total, $80,299.76.

THY LOVE.

The strife is bitter and the way is long—
Deserts—dim heavens above,
Barren and bleak, and lost to light and song:
But over all, thy love.

In mirage fair I see a world in bloom—
From my sad world apart;
But dearer far the desert's death and gloom,
Lit by thy love, sweetheart.

O sweet to pass from darkness and distress;
But earth, or heaven above
Were naught to me, if in forgetfulness
I could forget thy love!

—[Frank Stanton, in Atlanta Constitution.

EVENTS IN SOCIETY.

Miss Blanche Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Brown, and Louis Wescott Myers were married yesterday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of the bride, No. 1013 South Bonnie Brae street. The wedding was one of the prettiest of the season and was largely attended by prominent society people of Los Angeles and surrounding towns. Rev. J. S. Thomson, pastor of the Independent Church of Christ, officiated. The decorations, under the direction of Miss Goodin, were beautiful and artistic. The large veranda was inclosed with canvas, and lined with feathery brakes and ferns. It was fitted up with easy chairs, divans and rugs for the comfort of the guests, and during the evening punch was served on the veranda from a cozy nook in one end. The reception hall was arranged with potted palms and ferns, and large pink chrysanthemums added a delicate touch of color. The stair railing was twined with southern smilax and on the upper landing Arend's Orchestra was stationed, playing Mendelssohn's "Wedding March" when the bridal party entered the drawing-room, and during the impressive service "Simple Aveu" by Thomé was softly rendered. The drawing-room was the most attractive of all. In the bay window, curtains of smilax had been arranged over the lace draperies, and a canopy of green was formed overhead. Great bunches of feathery white chrysanthemums stood out on either side of the canopy and loops and graceful ends of white satin ribbon completed the charming effect. The back parlor was arranged with pink chrysanthemums and ferns, and the same color effect was carried out in the dining-room. The mantle and buffet were banked with greenery. In the center of the table was a cut-glass bowl, resting on a large round mirror, filled with American Beauty roses. Throughout the house the lights were subdued with pink shades. The bride was given away by her father. She wore a handsome Paris robe, chenile pattern, and her tulle veil was held in place with a diamond crescent. She carried a shower bouquet of white violets tied with broad white satin ribbons. Miss Mary Doran attended the bride as maid of honor, and the bridesmaids were Misses Etta and Edna Bicknell. The maids all were gowns of white silk mull over white taffeta, and they carried pink roses. Claude Brown, brother of the bride, was best man, and the groomsmen were Dr. James Hall, Dr. John C. Ferbert, Messrs. Fred Stamm and Sumpter Zombro. After the services refreshments were served. The bride was the recipient of a large number of beautiful gifts, among them being a handsome check from Mrs. E. Myers, mother of the groom, who will leave today for a visit to her old home in Wisconsin. Mr. and Mrs. Myers left last night for a northern trip. Upon their return they will be at home temporarily at the Hotel Lillie, where Mrs. Myers will receive the first and second Mondays in January. The bride has resided in Los Angeles four years, coming here with her parents from Michigan. During her residence she has made a host of friends. The groom is also popular in society and is a promising young attorney.

Pleasant Evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Woolwine entertained delightfully yesterday evening at their home in St. James Park. The occasion was a complimentary courtesy to Miss Frances Coulter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Coulter, who has recently returned from an extended trip abroad, and in honor of Oscar Trippett, formerly of San Diego, who has come to Los Angeles to reside. The rooms were beautifully decorated, the prevailing color being green. Just a touch of color was added to the drawing-room by the use of pink carnations and holly berries, and bows and streamers of broad red satin ribbons were used in the library. Portieres of smilax were hung in doorways leading from one room to another, and the walls were frescoed with palm leaves and ferns. Many innovations in the way of games were introduced and prizes were awarded. Mrs. Woolwine was assisted in receiving and entertaining by Misses Eva Keating, Lillian Wellborn, Belle Coulter and Hazel Patterson. The list of invited guests included the following-named: Misses Bessie Bonsall, Elisa Bonsall, Mabel Davis of San Diego, Nora Sterry, May Ridgeway, Lelia Simonds, Louise Hill, Edith Kirkpatrick, Fannie Bethume, Laura Solano, Juliette Carvelle, Elizabeth Shankland, Mary Clark, Ella Clark, Clara Walton, Clara Carpenter, Georgia Knight, Lizzie Lewis, Harriet Severance, Adelaide Brown, Alice Gwynne, Inez Moore, Alice Groff, Dorothy Groff, Dowling of Pasadena, Sabina Burks, Irene Stephens, Marbel, Florence Silent, Lora Hubbell, Alma Le Roy, Cora Foy, Edna Foy, Dora Vickers, Mary Hunsaker, Mary Darling, Sara Goodrich, Evangeline Ludlum, Mildred Ludlum, Mary Patterson, Hattie Kimball, Lou Winder, Echo Allen, Mabel Toles, Gertrude Gooding, Mary Chapman, Anna Chapman, Louise McFarland, Violet Wigmore, Beatrice Wigmore, Anna Fay, Mary Lee, Margaret Lee, Helen Boothe, Marian Ellis, Anna Virginia Metcalf, Page Churchill, Georgia Caswell, Sada Johnson, Hollabird; Messrs. Stephens, Carl Klokke, Ross Smith, William Innes, Jack Johnson, Clarence Ferguson, John Kirkpatrick, Samuel Haskins, Charles Holterhoff, Harry Vermillion, Neil, Curtis Williams, Green, Gray, McFarland, Frank Rule, Groff, Don Carlton, Sterling Boothe, W. L. Drake, Augustus Knecht, Clauber, Ralph Day, Harry Anderson, E. C. Moore, R. Dickenson, Charles Henderson, Fred Henderson, Horace Henderson, Hastings, Le Grande Howell, Russ Avery, Cyril Wigmore, Robert Ross, Winthrop Blackstone, Fowler Shankland, Homer Laughlin, Jr., R. Taylor, Albert Moore, Gregory Perkins, William Corkin, Paul Burks, Volney Howard, John Posey, George Parsons, Russell Taylor, D. O'Riley, E. P. Thom, Harry Walton, Ross Smith, Foster, Charles Seylor, Roy Hillman and Dr. Hastings.

Ross-Babcock.

Miss Bertha Irene Ross, daughter of Mrs. Sarah J. Ross, and Charles Hugh Babcock were married yesterday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of the bride on Fifth street. The Rev. J. M. Schaefle, pastor of the Pico Heights Congregational Church, officiated, and the service was witnessed by only a few friends and relatives. The wedding was celebrated quietly on account of the recent death of the bride's brother, Walter Ross. The bride was unattended. She wore a handsome gown of white taffeta, with an overdress of white organdie, and her bouquet was white carnations and maiden-hair ferns. The music was furnished by Mrs. G. S. Lapham, who was accompanied on the violin by Miss Mildred Lapham. Many beautiful gifts were received by the bride, among them a handsome dining-room set of furniture from the Los Angeles Lithographing Company, where the bride has held the position as stenograher for some time. After January 1 Mr. and Mrs. Babcock will be at home at No. 1181 West Twenty-fourth street. The service took place in the drawing-room, and the couple stood under a beautiful canopy of ferns, white chrysanthemums and white satin ribbons. The double parlors were arranged with pink roses and ferns, and the punch-room and dining-room were separated with portieres of smilax and yellow satin ribbons. The bride and groom are well known in Los Angeles. The bride has resided here nearly all her lifetime and the groom is a prominent young business man.

Charming Luncheon.

Mrs. William A. Strong gave a charming luncheon yesterday at the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. William L. Graves, on South Figueroa street, complimentary to Miss Louise Mordecai of the northern part of the State. The table was beautifully decorated. A large basket, filled with delicate pink carnations and ferns, rested in the center of the table, and the places were marked with corsage bouquets, tied with broad pink satin ribbons, upon which were written the guest's name. Those present were Mrs. Franklin King of New York, Misses Ella Clark, Florence Jones, Joy Collins, Laura Solano, Sara Goodrich, Edith Kirkpatrick, Anna Fay, Belle Coulter, Fannie Bethume, Adelaide Brown, Nannie Dillon. Miss Mordecai visited Los Angeles last winter and has a host of friends here, and this occasion of meeting many of her former acquaintances was a delightfully pleasant one to her.

Sproul-Farmer.

Last night at 8 o'clock in the Advent Christian Church, East Los Angeles, John Robert Sproul and Miss Leta May Farmer were married by Rev. M. McFadyen. The decorations were in green and white, and were very elaborate. The bridal party entered the church to the strains of the "Bridal Chorus" from "Lohengrin," on organ and violin, by Mrs. Emily J. Valentine and Earl Bishop Valentine. The bride was gowned in white chiffon, trimmed with white satin ribbons, and she carried white carnations. She was attended by her sister, Miss Nellie Farmer, who was gowned in white mull over pink silk. The best man was Thomas Kerr. The party was met by the minister under a canopy of smilax, from which was suspended a white dove, and the beautiful ring ceremony was used in the wedding service. During the ceremony the romance, "Call Me Thy Own," was intoned by organ and violin, and Mendelssohn's "Wedding March" was played for the recessional. After the wedding service a reception was given at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Farmer, at No. 243 East Twenty-seventh street. Mr. Sproul is erecting a pretty cottage on East Twenty-first street, and during its construction they will reside at No. 243 East Twenty-seventh street.

Wood-Heitman.

Asbury Methodist Church, in East Los Angeles, was transformed into a bower of floral beauty last night in honor of the wedding which occurred there at 8 o'clock of Walter E. Wood of No. 1513 West Pico street and Miss Maud A. Heitman of No. 1515 Barbee street. The bridal couple were attended by Miss Anna Reid and S. M. Arthurs. The marriage ceremony was performed by Rev. D. H. Gillan, pastor of Asbury Church, and as the party entered the church Mendelssohn's "Wedding March" was played on the organ by Mrs. Gillan. Mr. and Mrs. Wood will reside at No. 1513 West Pico street.

Surprised.

The ladies of Los Angeles Hive, No. 1, Ladies of the Maccabees, surprised Mrs. Commandine Langenberger at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Hannam, No. 617 Gladys avenue, Tuesday evening. Mrs. Langenberger will leave shortly to make her home in Mexico. Games and music helped to pass a very pleasant evening, after which refreshments were served. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Hannam, Mr. and Mrs. Fay, Mr. and Mrs. Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. Leinen, Mr. and Mrs. Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. McKenzie, Mrs. Eleanor Neel; Mmes. C. Langenberger, Sophia Keyme, Emily Bradley, Elmira Lindley, Nora McEchron, Sadie Johnson, Hattie Walker, Mary Dennis Barbara Hamil, T. K. Sawyer, J. A. Meyers, J. Aspenwall, E. A. Bowles, J. Loungeman, Ada Pattie, Mina Holland, Kate Korber, Kate Thompson, Emma Oller, Fuatt, M. McDonough, Schuster, Getchell, Essie Ashby, Bessie Mendell; Misses R. Langenberger, R. Thompson, S. Thompson, Myrtle Mendell.

Barnett-Fellows.

Mrs. Abbie Barnett and Pyron V. Fellows were married yesterday evening by Rev. Will A. Knighten, pastor of Vincent Methodist Episcopal Church, at his home, No. 150 West Thirty-first street. The ceremony was witnessed by relatives and a few friends. The bride and groom are prominent members of the Stanton Post, G.A.R., and W.R.C.

Pre-nuptial Reception.

The Young Peoples' Society of Memorial Baptist Church gave a pre-nuptial reception to Miss Jessie Osgood and Charles W. Stewart Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lapham on West Adams street. The four spacious rooms used for the seventy-five guests were beautifully decorated and presented a picture of art. A handsome Bible as a token of remembrance from the young people was presented to Miss Osgood by Rev. C. C. Pierce, with well-chosen words, to which she feelingly responded. Music and reading were special features of the evening. A dainty lunch was served, at which time the bride and groom-elect were made the recipients of a shower of congratulations and best wishes.

Burton-Foreman.

Miss Nellie Burton, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. John C. Burton of South Grand avenue, and Harry S. Foreman of New Mexico were married yesterday at the home of Rev. Will A. Knighten, No. 150 West Thirty-first street. The bride is a teacher of music and prominent in musical and social circles. Mr. Foreman owns large mining interests in Mexico and New Mexico, and he is also interested in railroad enterprises.

Lattin-Simpson.

Miss Grace M. Lattin and Joseph S. Simpson were married at the residence of the bride's mother, No. 920 Santee street, on Wednesday morning. Rev. J. M. Schaefle of the Pico Heights Congregational Church officiated. The parlors were tastefully decorated with smilax and roses. Mr. and Mrs. Simpson, after a brief wedding tour, will reside at No. 920 Santee street.

NOTES AND PERSONALS.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Richard Kellam have issued invitations for a reception and dance at the Woman's Club House Friday evening, November 29.

Miss Maybelle Rendall has returned after a two months' visit north, greatly improved in health.

Miss Mabel Davis of San Diego is visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Woolwine at their home in St. James Park.

COFFEE IMPORTER

Tells Some Plain Facts.

One of the heaviest importers of coffee in America, and who requests that his name be kept from the public in connection with the following subject because of the effect it would have on his business, says: "I have used coffee for over thirty-five years, but about a year ago was compelled to discontinue its use on account of its effect on my health. Since that time I have used nothing in its place but Postum Cereal Food Coffee and, properly prepared, it is simply delicious with cream and sugar.

"In connection with this I have also used Grape-Nuts Breakfast Food. While in Florida this winter I carried a package with me all the time, so if I was unable to get what I wanted for breakfast I could rely on my own supply.

"Any one who could have known of my condition a year ago, and the very great improvement now, would have no cause to question the wisdom of my change from the old-fashioned diet to the present."

This man is one of the best known coffee experts in the world, and his testimony regarding the flavor of Postum Cereal Food Coffee is noteworthy.

Now and then a person gets Postum Food Coffee served under-boiled and consequently almost tasteless. A chemical change takes place in Postum after it has been actively boiled for 12 or 15 minutes; this change brings out the food value and the delicious taste. It does not answer to simply leave it on the stove for 15 minutes; it must stand on the stove until boiling commences, then be allowed to bubble 15 minutes.

A piece of butter twice the size of a pea should be put in the pot to keep it from boiling over.

Many a man or woman continues in a half-sick state from month to month, not knowing that the drug in the coffee they use is the cause; try leaving off coffee, and using Postum Food Coffee. That change has worked salvation for many skeptical sick ones.

CAUSE OF DEAFNE[SS]

The Most Common Cause Recently Discovered.

It has been stated on good authority that nine-tenths of deafness are caused from catarrh from sore throat trouble.

The little tube which leads from the throat is lined with a velvety structure called mucous membrane. This membrane is simply a continuation of the mucous membrane lining the throat. When disease of any sort attacks the mucous membrane of the throat it is very liable to extend into the Eustachian tube and to the ear.

The history of nearly all cases of deafness is like this: A cold is contracted and neglected, other colds taken, the throat becomes sore and inflamed, which is agravated by particles of dust and germs from the air. This condition causes the disease to extend into the tube that leads to the ear.

It seems a little far fetched to say that most cases of deafness are caused from catarrh, but it is certainly true, and anyone who has had a severe head cold must have noticed how his hearing was affected while the cold lasted.

With catarrh sufferers this impairment of hearing becomes chronic and grows worse the longer the catarrh is neglected.

You can cure catarrh and deafness by the regular use of an excellent preparation called Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, composed of antiseptic remedies which act both on the mucous membranes but principally and most effectually on the blood, eliminating the catarrhal poison from the system.

People whose hearing is defective may think it a little remarkable that a simple and harmless tablet would so often remove all traces of deafness, but when it is remembered that catarrh causes the deafness and that the catarrh is easily cured by the regular use of Stuart's Catarrh Tablets there is no mystery about it.

If you are subject to nasal catarrh, catarrh of throat, bronchial catarrh, catarrh of stomach and liver, the safest and most effective treatment is the new catarrh specific, Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, sold by all druggists at 50 cents for full sized package.

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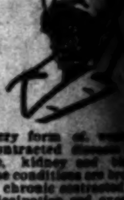

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PASADENA CYCLEWAY MAY BE REMOVED.

WOULD NOT BE AN ORNAMENT TO A PUBLIC PARK.

Charles Cleghorn Falls from a Ladder and Lies at Death's Door—Arranging for New Year's Football—Suspected Murderer's Pants Captured.

PASADENA, Office of The Times, No. 1 South Raymond Avenue, Nov. 27.—[From The Times' Resident Correspondent.] What will become of the cycleway when Central Park is created by the city? That's the question which has been often asked since the bond issue for public improvements was first proposed by the Council.

The cycleway must be removed. That's the answer of the city authorities.

"I'll try and make my views conform with those of the City Council, though I have my stockholders to protect," that's what President Horace M. Dobbins of the California Cycleway Company said this evening.

The cycleway, as everybody knows, extends from Vineyard street to the Raymond Hill across country between Raymond and Fair Oaks avenues. The park site lies between Raymond and Fair Oaks avenues, and Vineyard and Glendale streets. The cycleway runs through the park site. The Council feels that the cycleway would not be an ornament to the park. On the contrary, it would be entirely in the way, obstructing drives and walks and the view. Having it in the park is out of the question.

The Council has entered into an agreement with cycleway management, the terms of which are not given out. The ground occupied by the structure is a public alley as far as Glendale street, or entirely through the park site. The company has a franchise from the city, but by the terms of this franchise the road was to have been built all the way to Los Angeles. As this was never done, it is contended that the franchise may be forfeited.

PAINTER'S FATAL FALL.

Charles C. Cleghorn, a painter, fell from a scaffold this morning and sustained injuries from which he may not recover. His attending physician said tonight that he has a chance to live, but his life hangs by a thread. He is at the Pasadena Hospital, unconscious. While painting R. H. Pinney's house on South Marengo avenue, Cleghorn fell about twenty feet from a ladder which slipped under him. He sustained a double fracture of the skull and both his arms were broken. He has a wife and three children residing at No. 589 Summit avenue.

NEW YEAR'S FOOTBALL.

President James R. H. Wagner will leave on Friday for the North to visit Berkeley and Stanford universities with a view to arranging the football game to be played on the afternoon of New Year's Day, following the Tournament of Roses parade. The eleven of Ann Arbor, Mich., has decided to come, but the California teams are holding off.

PANTS PLEAD NOT GUILTY.

Pasadena is represented by a pair of pants in the Downey triple murder mystery.

The way the Sheriff happened to arrest the pants on suspicion the other day has to do with the visit of John Foster of Downey to his brother-in-law, J. F. Sanders, of the East Villa Dairy. Foster is the man whom the detectives are shadowing. Out on the dairy they say that Foster came there on Thursday, and went away in the afternoon, only to return in the evening. He stayed until Sunday afternoon, went to Los Angeles for a few hours, came back and went home Monday.

The Sheriff found the trousers in question hanging in an outhouse. Foster is alleged to have worn these garments about the dairy, and his relatives laugh at the idea that they are guilty of anything wrong.

CHILDREN'S WILD RIDE.

People on the streets were startled yesterday afternoon by the sudden appearance of a runaway horse and phaeton, which was occupied by two little children about 5 years old. The mad horse dashed twice through the business section before being stopped on the corner of Raymond avenue and Colorado street by C. W. Buchanan, who exhibited great prowess.

Mrs. F. C. Platt of No. 270 East Villa street was calling at a place on Bellevue Drive. Her little child was left sitting in the buggy, and in company with a neighbor's child, teased the horse until the animal broke his halter and dashed away. Clear through the town they went, and, making a turn, came down Raymond avenue to Green street, thence up Delacey street to Colorado street and again through the business section, followed by numerous citizens. Several men made unsuccessful grabs, a carriage driver being somewhat hurt in doing so by colliding with a wheel of the buggy. Buchanan got hold of the bridle and clung to it and the horse dragged him several yards. Buchanan's leg was hurt a little. The youngsters in the rig were unhurt, though one of them tumbled out when the stop was made.

PASADENA BREVITIES.

One-eyed Mike Brady, or Dan Riordan, was arrested again today, and was committed to the County Jail for forty-six days. He collides with the law periodically, and the police justice has come to understand that each offence will be heavier than the previous one. He will be a "lifer" in a few years, if he keeps up the gait.

The police annexed another unruly youth yesterday, and will endeavor to convict him. The youth was suspected of tapping the till in a bicycle store. He was watched, and evidence was found to warrant his arrest. He confessed, and will be dealt with later.

The annual meeting of the Americus Club will be held next Wednesday evening. Officers will be elected, and there will be the usual informal banquet. The secretary will send notices to the members this week.

At the regular meeting of the Twilight Club last evening in Stickney Memorial Hall, A. C. Vroman entertained the members with about 150 pictures of Indian life, taken by him among the Mojave Indians.

The Pasadena Whist Club has chosen new headquarters, rooms 2 and 3 of the Pierce Block, and last night a few friends were invited to enjoy an informal house-warming.

The Entertainment Committee of the Universalist parish has secured George H. Collin to give "an evening with Artemus Ward" on Wednesday, December 4.

"The Education and Health of Our Girls in Relation to Their Future," will be Dr. J. H. McBryde's subject at the meeting of the Twilight Club on January 9.

All is in readiness for the great baseball game between the Elks and the Maccabees on the Terminal grounds Thanksgiving Day, at 9:30 o'clock.

Co. I will hold a field day on Thanksgiving at the Patton ranch, southeast of town. All sorts of athletic sports will be indulged in.

Mrs. Frederick Smyth, widow of the late Gov. Frederick Smyth of New Hampshire, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bentz.

Webster Wotkyns will go to Mexico to take charge of the mining business in which many Pasadena capitalists are interested.

Mrs. Charles Raymond and children of Boston are guests of Mrs. Dr. Emlin Lewis of No. 136 North Marengo avenue.

Rev. Malcolm J. McLeod will preach the Thanksgiving Day union sermon at the Christian Church.

The local Elks will join their brothers next Sunday in memorial services in Los Angeles.

The postoffice will be open Thanksgiving Day from 8 to 10 o'clock a.m.

Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Kendall returned today from the East.

L. H. Turner has returned from an eastern trip.

An establishment long needed in Pasadena is now open for business; that is, the new baths and gymnasium, corner of Green and Fair Oaks. The managers have a large gymnasium and completely furnished bath parlors. There are special apartments for ladies, under charge of an expert trained nurse, who has had years of experience in the largest hospitals of Germany. Massage and baths according to the most scientific methods are her specialties. The men's department includes, Turkish, Russian, shower, tub baths, salt glow, etc., and is also in charge of an expert of long experience. In the gymnasium special exercises as prescribed will be given, and fencing and sparring taught. This addition to our business interests will be appreciated, both by the residents and visitors, and will be a success from the start.

For sale—A "Social" open-grate parlor stove, nickel trimmings, nearly new; bargain; 499 Lincoln avenue, Pasadena.

Sewing machines and bicycles rented. Columbia Cyclery.

Thanksgiving poultry at Halsted's; best stock.

Treat your friends today at Heiser's. McCament will be open all day.

Pictures framed at Wadsworth's.

Woolen yarns at Bon Accord.

ALHAMBRA.

EXTENDING THE TROLLEY.

ALHAMBRA, Nov. 27.—[From The Times' Resident Correspondent.] It is expected that active work will be commenced next Monday on grading for the Alhambra and San Gabriel extension of the electric road. The Pasadena short-line work is finished, except the building of the viaduct bridge across the Southern Pacific tracks at Raymond. There will be no delay in the equipment of these lines, and the company gives assurance that cars will be running by January 15.

ALHAMBRA BREVITIES.

The Board of Supervisors has named December 17 as the time for hearing the report of the viewers of the proposed road from the eastern limits of Alhambra to East San Gabriel, an extension of Main street.

The Improvement Association is doing good work on Garfield avenue, several property owners assisting.

Mrs. H. I. Hanscome returned Monday from an extended visit with relatives and friends at San Francisco, Salt Lake and other points.

Alhambra Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, has elected the following officers: Worthy Matron, Mrs. D. W. March; Worthy Patron, N. W. Thompson; Associate Matron, Mrs. F. E. Phillips; Treasurer, Mrs. Neal Sorenson; Secretary, Mrs. H. E. Lawrence; Conductress, Miss Anna Stuart; Associate Conductress, Mrs. J. M. Creamer. Installation, December 16.

Mr. and Mrs. William Behlow entertained elaborately in honor of a bridal couple, Mr. and Mrs. John Mues of San Francisco, the latter a niece of Mrs. Behlow.

A match game of ball will be played here Thursday morning between the Bachelor and Alhambra clubs.

Union Thanksgiving services at the Baptist Church at 10 a.m., Thursday.

COVINA.

MAIN-STREET PAVING.

COVINA, Nov. 27.—[From The Times' Resident Correspondent.] Last evening at the Board of City Trustees' meeting every member was in his place except Finch. The room was crowded by property owners of Citrus avenue, present at the request of the Trustees to confer in reference to paving the main business thoroughfare. For an hour and a half the Trustees listened to the property owners; some are anxious to have the work commenced at once, others advocate delay, some think clay the right material, while there are those who strongly favor crushed rock. At last the chairman informed them that the board was unanimous in its determination to improve the street so that it would no longer be a reproach to the community, and that in the event of the property owners being unable to come to an agreement among themselves the board would be compelled to do the work under the Vrooman Act, which would entail considerable additional expense.

COVINA BREVITIES.

Louis and Charles Harris have purchased from Jesse Overholtzer a ten-acre orange grove of the late Samuel Overholtzer estate, for $10,500.

C. H. Ruddock and party arrived from Chicago Monday, and Mountain View, their winter home, is open for the season.

POMONA.

FOR HOTEL OPENING.

POMONA, Nov. 27.—[From The Times' Resident Correspondent.] At a public meeting of citizens, held last evening, to consider the opening of the Palomares Hotel, the proposition was given an impetus that bids fair to carry it through. Frank Raynes was chosen chairman and C. M. Stone secretary. For some time it has been evident that it would take concerted action to secure the reopening of this caravansary, of which Pomona is in dire need, to attract newcomers and to accommodate constantly-arriving tourists. Accordingly, a committee of citizens recently held a conference with the hotel directors, and they agreed to take the market value of the stock, which is $30 a share, for the 565 shares of treasury stock, the other 435 shares being held by the stockholders, providing the citizens would subscribe for the 565 shares.

Speeches favoring the acceptance of the offer and urging the immediate consummation of an action which cannot fail to be of great benefit to this city, were made by Messrs. Knull, Dole, Haskell, Robinson, Raynes, Avis, Bichowsky and others. So great was the enthusiasm and the recognized fairness of the hotel company's proposition, that about 280 of the 565 shares were subscribed for during the meeting, as follows: First National Bank, 57; National Bank, 57; Kings-Steffa Company, 17; Consolidated Water Company, 17; J. Albert Dole, 17; D. R. Knull, 17; W. M. Avis, 15; E. C. Bichowsky, 15; W. S. Newton, 10; Lorbeer Bros. & Co., 20; F. O. Blanker, 5; L. Fleming, 5; A. P. Nichols, 3; W. H. Schureman, 3; J. E. Hathaway, 1. The following committees from the different wards were appointed to canvass the city for subscribers to the balance of the stock, at $30 a share: First Ward, Messenger and Nichols; Second, Lathrop and Bichowsky; Third, Padgham and Knull; Fourth, E. T. Palmer and L. A. Lorbeer; Fifth, Lewis and Robinson, and W. H. Schureman, committeeman at large. It is hoped that the balance of the stock can be readily placed, so that improvements may be commenced, and the house renovated at once. It is the plan to put about $8000 into improvements.

WATER STATEMENTS.

The City Trustees have resolved that the Consolidated Water Company must furnish the city in January with a detailed statement of its affairs, that the water rates may be properly and fairly fixed in February. Another resolution was introduced and passed, calling for a more complete statement than usual from the water company regarding its business within and without the city.

MONROVIA.

STREET IMPROVEMENT.

MONROVIA, Nov. 27.—[From The Times' Resident Correspondent.] The City Council is having Myrtle avenue, the principal street, graded as far as the Santa Fé depot, three-quarters of a mile. It is the intention, as soon as the grading is completed, to surface the street with red clay, providing the Santa Fé will join in the expense. It would be greatly to the railway company's interest to have this street improvement made, and if the company will furnish the material the city will do the work. It is estimated that it will require 2500 cubic yards of clay. Superintendent Beamer has been communicated with, and is taking up the matter on behalf of the company. As the Santa Fé has always shown a generous spirit, the City Council is anticipating a favorable answer.

MONROVIA BREVITIES.

H. V. Carter, president of the United Electric Gas and Power Company, accompanied by Mr. Merritt and Mr. Gray, was here today looking over the company's plant.

Next week the Duarte-Monrovia Fruit Exchange will ship six carloads of oranges, to reach the eastern market for the Christmas trade.

The Fay and Ruddock & Trench companies will each ship two carloads of oranges this week.

John Hutchins and bride of Prescott, Ariz., are spending a few days with relatives in Monrovia. Mr. Hutchins has just sold the Monte Christie mine for $150,000.

WHITTIER.

BOARD OF TRADE.

WHITTIER, Nov. 27.—[From The Times' Resident Correspondent.] The Board of Trade met last evening and standing committees were announced as follows: Manufacturing, Lewis Landreth, J. H. Linkletter, W. A. Vernon, J. T. Kirkwood, S. M. See; Railroads and Transportation, A. C. Johnson, A. H. Dunlap, A. L. Reed, F. G. Stone, C. P. Livingston; Education, C. W. Clayton, H. D. Williams, D. H. White, Dr. W. V. Coffin, W. A. Smit; Public Meetings, M. T. Owens, N. D. Ellis, W. S. Fawcett, T. N. Newell, J. H. Coverley; Receptions, J. P. Armstrong, J. A. Hockett, A. C. Cheney, A. C. Maple, Thomas McE. Brady; Advertising and Transportation, L. M. Baldwin, Clayton J. Kinsley, S. W. Barton, O. M. Souden, G. L. Hazard; Health and Sanitation, E. S. Chase, L. D. Hockett, E. W. Reider, J. C. Hiatt, W. L. Stafford; Streets and Parks, G. E. Little, Jacobs, Carl Proud, C. C. Brown, Cyrus Trueblood; Auditing, Isaac Collins, J. H. Gwin, Jr., V. A. Reynolds, W. S. George, J. W. Davis.

SANTA MONICA.

HALL SITE QUESTION.

SANTA MONICA, Nov. 27.—[From The Times' Resident Correspondent.] Since the question of having a City Hall has been satisfactorily decided in the affirmative, the scarcely less important question of its location is coming to the front. It is not quite an easy one to determine, although doubtless not any one of a dozen guesses would miss the mark more than two or three blocks. It is understood that various business interests are liable to combine in favor of localities which are considered eligible sites. The "old Carrillo corner," at Third and Utah, diagonally across from the Keller Block, is quite a favorite in the race, and will be aided by a substantial subscription. Those who urge a location on Utah avenue as fair to the South Side, also look with more or less favor upon both Fourth and Fifth streets' corners. The "hotel block," at Ocean and Railroad avenues, and the southeast corner of Oregon and Second are also among the possibilities.

TALKING FIFTH CLASS.

It is generally understood that there will be a meeting at the Town Hall next Monday evening, to consider the advisability of reopening the question of the reorganization of the town into a fifth-class city at an early date. There is an evident revival of interest in the question, which seems to be following in the wake of the bond election.

SANTA MONICA BREVITIES.

The Auditorium stage will be peopled with the High School pupils on Friday evening, presenting "Esmeralda," with Miss Anna Fraser in the title role.

There is more stir in the local real estate market just now than has been noted at any previous date for a number of years. Especially is this true on the North Side.

Contractor Goetz has the handsome new residence for W. T. Gillis, at Third and Washington streets, well under way.

SKULL FRACTURED. VICTIM RECOVERING.

ACCIDENT THAT BEFELL A LONG BEACH RESIDENT.

Los Alamitos Water Company Undertaking Extensive Improvements—Good News About San Pedro Inner Harbor—Sermons and Baseball Today.

LONG BEACH, Nov. 27.—[From The Times' Resident Correspondent.] C. S. Smith, an elderly man who was severely injured by being thrown from his wagon Monday, is reported as recovering. His skull was fractured, a piece of bone about the size of a silver dollar, being depressed over the left temple. It was affecting the brain so as to make him irrational, and the attending physicians decided that an operation offered the only chance for recovery. In spite of his advanced years and weakened condition, Smith rallied, and is now rational most of the time, and the chances for his complete recovery are regarded strong.

BETTER WATER SERVICE.

The Alamitos Beach Water Company is planning to improve its service for the next year to meet the constantly growing demands arising from the building of new houses in its territory. Sometime since it sank a well in the artesian belt east of Signal Hill, and installed on it a fine pumping plant. This has been connected with the large reservoir on top of one spur of the hill, 190 feet above the territory to be served. The next step will be to lay more than seven miles of new four and eight-inch pipe to carry this water to consumers. One line will run from the reservoir south to First street and west to the city limits with such laterals as may be needed. This ill be used for domestic service exclusively and the 190-foot pressure will make it first-class protection against fire. The remaining pipe will be used to extend the irrigating service.

LONG BEACH BREVITIES.

A union Thanksgiving service will be held in the Presbyterian Church next Thursday morning. The sermon will be by Rev. Frank L. Norton of the Baptist Church and all the other pastors will assist in the services. The music will be by the Presbyterian choir.

Maj. B. C. Kinon is in receipt of a letter from Senator Perkins, in which the gratifiing statement is made that indications all point to a liberal appropriation for dredging the inner harbor at San Pedro.

The district lodge of Good Templars will convene in this city Saturday morning. Delegates are expected from nearly all of the lodges in Los Angeles and Orange counties.

One of the features of Thanksgiving Day will be baseball between the High School boys and a team picked from the young business men.

R. H. Martin of the Willows, whose life was in danger from appendicitis Saturday night, is recovering.

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NEWS AND BUSINESS.

Railroad Offices Closed.

Today all the railroad offices will be closed, so far as the transaction of business with the public goes. This applies to the up-town passenger and freight offices.

Ostrich Plucking.

Several of the largest ostriches at the South Pasadena farm will be plucked today, and a party will go from Los Angeles to see the operation and look at the newly-arrived Abyssinian birds.

Retail Grocers Will Meet.

The Los Angeles Retail Grocers' Association will hold an important meeting at Concordia Hall tomorrow night. The hall will be open at 8 o'clock and business will begin about 8:30. The new taxes imposed on business by the City Council will be discussed.

Deceptive Sign.

Down on East Second street the following sign was displayed yesterday noon: "Matinée today at 2 p.m." The inquirer thought he had spotted a new theater and rushed in only to find that the place was a painter's shop and the sign was intended for a down-town playhouse.

Made Hash of His Hand.

George Ferguson, an employé of the Rival Restaurant on Second street, was painfully injured while cutting meat there yesterday. He was using a heavy cleaver, and struck his left hand with it. A gash was cut across his hand in which it was necessary for the Police Surgeon to take five stitches.

Stole Strubel's Wheel.

Deputy Coroner Strubel is mourning the loss of his bicycle, which some thief appropriated yesterday afternoon from the curb on New High street near the entrance to the Courthouse tunnel. There is, of course, no clew to the thief. The deputy Coroner declares that if he could land the thief in the penitentiary he would not care if he never recovered the wheel.

Still Booming.

At the quarterly conference of the officers of the First Methodist Church Tuesday night, Dr. H. W. Brodbeck made the quarterly report of his big Sunday-school. His books now show an enrollment of 1134, the highest ever obtained by the school. During the quarter the membership of the church has also been increased by the reception of eighty-nine members.

Senator Flint's Brief Visit.

Senator Thomas Flint, Jr., was in Los Angeles a short time yesterday afternoon on his way home from the State of Sonora, Mexico. After taking lunch at the Van Nuys, he left for San Juan, where he will spend Thanksgiving Day with his family. Senator Flint will return to Southern California in two or three weeks, and in the meantime will visit various parts of the San Joaquin Valley.

Battered a Chink.

James Smith went into Chinatown last night so drunk that he thought he owned the place. He ordered several Chinese off the sidewalk, and they obeyed him rather than have any trouble. A Chinese woman approached him, and with her he had a quarrel because he did not like her appearance. The quarrel resulted in his knocking the woman down, for which he was promptly arrested. He is now in the City Jail on a charge of battery.

G.A.R. Campfire.

A gathering of great interest to the veterans will be the smoker and house warming to be held under the auspices of Bartlett-Logan Post, G. A.R., at their new hall, No. 125½ South Spring street, Saturday evening. They have but recently taken their new nail, and by a scratch escaped the fire which burnt the old hall they so long occupied. They propose to have a sure enough fire of their own Saturday night, and invite all veterans to join them in their feast of song, story, hardtack and coffee.

Fine Strawberries.

The Chamber of Commerce yesterday received a beautiful exhibit of Brandywine strawberries, the largest of which measure six inches in circumference. They were grown by J. B. Raine at Burnett, a newly-developed berry district on the Salt Lake line near Long Beach. The luscious, fragrant dish attracted a crowd of strangers unused to such sights. There are also on exhibition a number of varieties of beautiful apples grown in Inyo county, which district has lately proved itself capable of producing apples equal to those of the apple country of the East.

Two Lose Fingers.

It was necessary for Police Surgeon Pierce to amputate the fingers of two men at the Receiving Hospital yesterday. Frank Hutchinson, who lives at No. 425 Temple street, was feeding a printing press at No. 121½ South Broadway, and caught his hand in the machine. Portions of three of his fingers were so badly crushed that they had to be amputated. Frank Eubell was unloading iron at Seventh and Alameda streets when a heavy rod fell against his hand while he was grasping another piece of iron. The second finger of his right hand was amputated.

Charged With Petty Larceny.

Lawrence McSherry, a tough young man who came here recently from Stockton, was arrested last night on a charge of having robbed the room of a Japanese woman in the new Baker block, No. 404½ North Main street. The woman reported to the detectives that McSherry had entered her room, and induced her to go to another part of the house on some errand. When she returned he had left, and with him had disappeared her gold watch and $22. She gave a good description of the man, and the officers found him late last night. He had the watch on his person, but claims that the woman gave him the timepiece to wear.

Cottle's Turkeys.

Ulysses Grant Cottle, a rancher of Tulare county, is visiting his brother, Ray E. Cottle, secretary of the Los Angeles police department, and incidentally Secretary Cottle will have for his Thanksgiving dinner a fine fat turkey, raised on a Tulare county ranch. As if this were not enough to make the epicurean police secretary happy, another of his admirers yesterday presented him a gobbler that weighs sixteen pounds, dressed. The secretary will apply for a leave of absence for the next few days, unless he decides to put one of the birds in cold storage till Christmas, instead of having both served for his Thanksgiving dinner.

Mackay's Visit.

John W. Mackay, head of the Postal Telegraph and Cable Company and a director in the Southern Pacific, arrived at the Van Nuys yesterday. He is accompanied by R. D. Dey, his private secretary, and W. S. Wood, a San Francisco attorney. Mr. Mackay registers from his old stamping ground, Virginia, Nev. He states that he is here on pleasure, combined with private business. The rumor that he would consider a terminus on the southern coast near Los Angeles for the trans-Pacific cable, he says, is without foundation. San Francisco has been selected for the purpose.

The millionaire of the Cumnock is on his way to his mining interests in Arizona.

Death Narrowly Escaped.

Three section men of the Santa Fé Railroad narrowly escaped death yesterday afternoon, when the hand car on which they were riding was run down by a passenger train just west of the depot at San Dimas. The men, who belong to the Glendora section gang, were on their way home, when the second section of passenger train No. 43, west-bound, overtook them. As the passenger train crashed into the hand car the men were thrown to the side of the track, and their car was smashed into splinters. Only one of the men was injured, and his hurts are of such a slight nature that he was able to walk to his home.

BREVITIES.

Grand opening Saturday of finest importations of woolens for ladies' and gentlemen's garments. Our reputation for making ladies' gowns is well known, and the most critical and fashionable dressers in this city gladly accept our styles and fitting. There is a refinement in a neat dresser; we can add to your personal charm. We have made a new departure, in that we will now make gentlemen's suits, as well as ladies' garments, New York fitter and cutter, just arrived for this department. You will be surprised to find the style, quality of goods and fit we give for the money. A special invitation is given the public to attend our reception on next Saturday evening, from 8 to 11 p.m., at which time the brass band will furnish appropriate music. M. Berry, ladies' and gentlemen's tailor, 420 S. Broadway.

Thanksgiving Day services at St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral, the Rev. J. J. Wilkins, D.D., dean and rector. Celebration Holy Communion, 7:30 a.m.; morning prayer, in which the parishes of the city will unite, 10:30 a.m. The Rev. Archdeacon Pond, D.D., will preach the sermon.

Send donations of cast-off clothing, furniture or food supplies to the Good Samaritan department of the Bethlehem Institutional Church. Vignes and Ducommun street, or telephone John 28, and wagon will call. Office hours during summer months 11 to 12 daily.

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The Natick House will serve Thanksgiving turkey dinner today, from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

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MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday by the County Clerk in celebration of the Thanksgiving season:

Robert A. Gardner, aged 31, a native of New York, and Elizabeth Dougherty, aged 34, a native of Ireland; both residents of Los Angeles.

Charles A. Elezalde, aged 23, a native of California, and Sarah A. Valpey, aged 21, a native of California; both residents of Los Angeles.

Louis W. Myers, aged 29, a native of Wisconsin, and Blanche Brown, aged 27, a native of Michigan; both residents of Los Angeles.

William C. Schneider, aged 28, a native of Minnesota, and Flora Ames, aged 22, a native of Canada; both residents of Los Angeles.

Charles Edward Espey, aged 32, a native of Illinois, and a resident of Peoria, Ill., and Olive L. Benton, aged 21, a native of Illinois and a resident of Long Beach.

John R. Sproul, aged 28, a native of Ireland, and Leta May Farmer, aged 20, a native of Illinois; both residents of Los Angeles.

Dorr G. Fairchild, aged 21, a native of California and a resident of Riverside, and Pearl M. Cook, aged 19, a native of California and a resident of Porris.

Walter E. Wood, aged 28, a native of Kansas, and Maud A. Heitman, aged 23, a native of Iowa; both residents of Los Angeles.

George R. Rhea, aged 42, a native of Indiana, and Florence E. M. Crane, aged 21, a native of Minnesota; both residents of Los Angeles.

Edgar McGarvin, aged 26, a native of Missouri, and Amanda Belen, aged 25, a native of Arkansas; both residents of El Monte.

Theodore H. Harris, aged 32, a native of Indiana, and Hattie Mohler, aged 22, a native of Germany; both residents of Los Angeles.

Jacob I. Boheim, aged 27, a native of Minnesota, and Lydia Roos, aged 24, a native of New York; both residents of Pasadena.

Benjamin K. McCann, aged 25, a native of Colorado, and Nelsie M. Heaney, aged 25, a native of Ireland; both residents of Los Angeles.

John Gustalfson, aged 41, a native of Sweden, and a resident of Los Alamitos, and Emma Love, aged 35, a native of New York and a resident of Long Beach.

William M. Ardis, aged 30, a native of California, and Mary E. Wagner, aged 26, a native of Iowa; both residents of Los Angeles.

Thomas H. Owen, aged 32, a native of Tennessee, and Jennie Overton, aged 25, a native of Illinois; both residents of Chicago.

Charles W. Stewart, aged 26, a native of Mississippi and a resident of Saticoy, and Jessie J. Osgood, aged 22, a native of Minnesota and a resident of Los Angeles.

John A. Burbaw, aged 47, a native of New York and a resident of Pasadena, and Emma J. Conner, aged 43, a native of Iowa and a resident of Los Angeles.

Linza B. Rogers, aged 22, a native of California and a resident of Long Beach, and Dora R. Brady, aged 20, a native of California and a resident of Los Angeles.

Fernando Jimenses, aged 46, a native of Mexico, and Rosaura Madariaga, aged 22, a native of Mexico; both residents of Los Angeles.

James L. Davee, aged 28, a native of California, and a resident of Fullerton, and Clara Nottingham, aged 23, a native of Illinois and a resident of Norwalk.

Harry S. Foreman, aged 29, a native of California, and Nellie Burton, aged 22, a native of California; both residents of Los Angeles.

Charles Hugh Babcock, aged 28, a native of Minnesota, and Bertha I. Ross, aged 24, a native of Iowa; both residents of Los Angeles.

Pyron V. Fellows, aged 60, a native of Michigan, and Abbie Barnett, aged 51, a native of Ohio; both residents of Los Angeles.

Norbert Moser, aged 57, a native of Germany, and a resident of San Diego, and Mary Head, aged 56, a native of New York and a resident of San Francisco.

Charles Wonderly, aged 37, a native of Ohio, and Ida Linabaugh, aged 36, a native of Ohio; both residents of Pasadena.

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BOARD OF EDUCATION AND SMALL THINGS.

MINOR MATTERS ON PROGRAMME YESTERDAY EVENING.

Financial Report Adopted, Recalled, Wrangled Over, and Once More Adopted—All Rooms not Alike to the Janitors—School Changes.

The Board of Education met last night to pass upon committee reports and discuss janitors' salaries, the purchase of rubber-seat bumpers, and other minor business. The report of the Finance Committee, calling for expenditures to the amount of $1882.74 was once adopted, and after it had been left way behind, it was voted to reconsider it, because Foley discovered that he did not understand all about the contingent expense part of it. Secretary Averill wants 2000 stamped envelopes, to cost $21.20, and included this amount in his contingent sum. Also, he hired a stenographer for eleven days at $2 a day to take the place of the regular stenographer, who was sick, and stuck this in under the same head. Some members objected to this way of doing business, though the secretary had been indorsed by the Finance Committee, and they said so. Foley said so very impressively. He scored the secretary. The Finance Committe felt hurt that its indorsement did not seem to count, and stood its ground against the Foley onslaught. Giffen said that his committee would be glad to have the rest of the members of the board come in when they were in special session, and see if they did things right or not. The secretary said he couldn't afford to pungle up for the bills himself, and wanted to know how he would get the money any other way than by the one he had adopted. The entire report was adopted.

The question of the salary to be paid the janitor of the Commercial High School consumed much time, and brought forth many opinions. He listened nervously as his chances for the extra $10 a month which he demands rose and fell. A janitor is allowed $5 a month per room. When the salary schedule was fixed nobody remembered that all rooms are not the same size in this world, and, therefore, do not all like alike to janitors. The Commercial High School has two rooms that are just double the ordinary schoolroom in size. Counting the two rooms as four, as they are in surface, the janitor should get $25. It was decided to refer the subject to the City Attorney, and see if one room can be two rooms and a janitor's rate be raised accordingly.

The secretary was ordered to advertise for bids for rubber washers to be used on school seats; the principal of the High School was authorized to make expenditures not to exceed $5 a month for supplies in the laboratory; a bill from the Caxton company of this city for 360 school desks was laid over until an investigation shows whether the goods are satisfactory and delivered according to contract.

It was decided that the reading-room requested by the city library board in the Castelar-street school is not available. Efforts will be made to further the reading-room project there in some other way.

Recommendations of the Teachers' Committee were adopted, as follows: To accept resignations of Myrta Preston and Maude E. Doss; extend leave of absence of Helen W. Davis, Mrs. E. F. O'Corman, and Myra King to end of first term; Frances M. Green, Lulu Diffenbacher, Marietta Williams, Letha Bailey, Jennie S. Shaffer, Maude M. Brown, Pauline Schmeiding, Ida Fisch, Dorothy Hendricks, and Emily Lietzau, changed from substitute to the regular list; Addie R. Brown assigned to the fifth grade in Ninth-street school; Helena Thorpe to third grade, Sixth-street school; additional class formed in first grade at Castelar-street school, with Mary L. Small teacher; Katherine Nevius assigned to fourth grade, University school; additional half-day school, second grade, opened in the Thirtieth-street school, with Josephine Maxwell as teacher; Alice Claypool assigned as kindergarten director, afternoon session, Castelar-street school; Jennie L. Jones assigned as kindergarten assistant in Eighth-street school, and Ruby Metcalf at Harper school.

The board adjourned to meet Saturday afternoon at 5 o'clock to consider the bids for the heating and ventilating of the new Twentieth-street building.

DEBT BURDEN TOO HEAVY.

Galveston May Repudiate Bonds Because of the Refusal of Holders to Accept a Lower Rate of Interest Than the Original Agreement.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Charles S. Fairchild of this city, who is chairman of the Galveston Bondholders' Committee, wrote to the City Commissioners of Galveston recently to say that the bondholders could not consider the contemplated substitution of new bonds bearing a lower rate of interest, and could negotiate only as to the partial postponement of interest upon the present bonds. The Galveston committee wrote back, under date of November 20, expressing their chagrin at the determination of the bondholders, and saying that the result may be to force the city "to the last resources of a debtor whose resources and earning capacity are insufficient to meet liabilities." There will be a conference between the two committees in this city on December 17.

According to a dispatch from Galveston received yesterday, unless the bondholders' attitude changes, a repudiation of the city's bonds may result. The charter which placed the affairs of the city in the control of a commissioner called for the funding of the city's bonded and floating indebtedness by the issuance of new bonds, to draw interest not to exceed 4 per cent. To this proposition the eastern bondholders will not accede.

ROLLER SOUGHT ARREST.

Forger Preferred a Term in Prison to the Constant Fear That He Might Be Taken.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—Charles L. Roller, a former real estate dealer of Newark, N. J., was today sentenced by a court in that city to seven years' imprisonment at hard labor, and to pay a fine of $1000, for forging notes to the amount of $50,000, which he had discounted at banks.

After the forgeries Roller became a fugitive from justice. He was arrested in Portland, Or., but succeeded in satisfying the authorities there that they had the wrong man, and he was released. Yesterday he appeared in Newark and gave himself up. In court today he pleaded guilty to the indictment against him.

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YEAR BETRAYED HIM.

One of Longbaugh's Confederates in the Montana Train Robbery Babbled His Secret While in Delirium.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

GREAT FALLS (Mont.) Nov. 27.—Deputy Sheriff Ledbetter has arrested at Neihart a man known as Bob Collins, who is believed to be O. C. Hanks, alias Camella Hanks, alias "Deaf Charlie," a partner of Harry Longbaugh, Kid Curry and George Barker in the Malta, Mont., Great Northern train robbery on July 1 last.

Collins does not confess his identity, but admits he helped to rob the train, and that he has $12,000 buried. He has been working in the Neihart concentrator, and when Longbaugh was arrested at St. Louis became nervous, and finally had to go to bed. A physician was called and gave him a hypodermic injection to quiet him. In the sleep and delirium which followed, Collins raved about Longbaugh and the robbery. When he recovered he was thrown constantly in the company of a man provided by the authorities, who succeeded in getting a full confession.

The plot to rob the train, says Collins, was made by him, and Longbaugh and Curry, on the second floor of a saloon in this city. Longbaugh made the proposition to him, and he accepted it, and he was in constant association with him and his pals until after the booty was secured and divided. Collins will be brought here tomorrow by Deputy Sheriff Ledbetter and other officers.

MEADE COURT-MARTIAL.

NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—Col. F. L. Denny testified again in the court-martial of Col. Meade, Maj. Lauchheimer was recalled and asked whether he could reconcile his statement that he was somewhat intoxicated by drinks had at the Puritan Club with the statement given by members of the club to the effect that he was perfectly sober. Maj. Lauchheimer declared that he did not mean that he was drunk.

DEATH RECORD.

BROWN—At No. 947 North Grand avenue, Mrs. Eva Jane Brown, beloved wife of R. A. Brown, aged 38 years. Funeral from the parlors of Robert L. Garrett & Co., No. 149 North Main street, Thursday, November 28, at 2 p.m. Friends invited.

EDWARDS—At No. 1179 East Forty-sixth street, at 2:15 p.m., November 27, Dr. O. R. Edwards. Funeral from residence, Friday, November 29, at 1 p.m. Interment at Evergreen Cemetery.

HOLDEN—In this city, November 26, 1901, Ethel Holden, beloved daughter of James H. and Clara Holden, aged 19 years. Funeral from her late home, No. 631 Cross avenue, Thursday, November 28, 1901, at 2 o'clock p.m. Interment Evergreen Cemetery. Friends invited.

MAGEE—November 25, at his late residence, No. 122 North Johnson street, W. J. Magee, aged 65 years.

SANDERS—In this city, Emma Sanders, a native of Germany, aged 64 years. Funeral today at 10:30 a.m., from the funeral parlors of W. H. Butch, No. 418 South Spring street. Chicago papers please copy.

GIBSON—At Cripple Creek, Colo., November 25, 1901, Mrs. Alla J. Gibson, aged 41 years. The funeral services will be held at the parlors of Brosee Brothers, Broadway and Sixth street, Friday morning at 10 o'clock. Friends invited.

STILLMAN—In Minneapolis, suddenly, November 25, Ransom Le Roy Stillman, brother of Mrs. Nellie A. Stillman-Drake of Pasadena, and of George C. Stillman of Petaluma, Cal.

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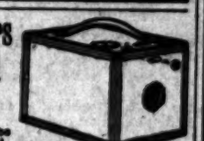
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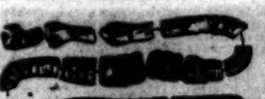
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